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WORLD LOOKS ON AS PRINCESS WEDS  
AN ALL-WHITE BRIDE IS MARRIED IN REGAL SPLENDOUR  
London Pays Tribute  
To Royal Pair

Amid cheering crowds, in a glitter of scarlet and gold, Princess Elizabeth, Heir Presumptive to the British Throne — an all-white bride — today was married to Lieut. Philip Mountbatten, newly created Duke of Edinburgh.

Lover's Knot  
For Special  
Postmark

London, Nov. 20. The King has authorised the provision of a special postmark to commemorate the wedding.

It takes the form of a bow tied with a lover's knot, surmounted by two wedding bells and bears the letters "E" and "P" in the left and right hand loops.

It will be in use until the end of the month.—Reuter.

Cheers Rise  
For Royal  
Newly-Weds

(By ROBERT MUSEL)

Westminster Abbey, London, Nov. 20. The strains of the Wedding March are still echoing from the organ in the Abbey and I am standing here, watching Elizabeth and Philip receive a tremendous ovation as they step from the great building.

The crowd is something unbelievable and the noise same. I just watched a person being taken by—fainted.

In their burnished scarlet, the Household Cavalry is formed in front of the glass coach. They have made a path for the smiling newlyweds.

The Royal couple is smiling and bowing and waving and they are turning now and again to smile at each other in radiant happiness.

As they sat in the coach, Philip took the Princess's hand and you could see her smile back as he squeezed it. It is a most unusual gesture of affection for Royalty in public.

**Bells Peal**

The bells of the Abbey and St. Margaret's began a wedding peal that will last for hours.

It was the same for the Princess and her handsome Duke all the way to Buckingham Palace.

Five minutes after they left, the crowds were aroused again when the King's escort of Household Cavalry, carrying swords—one of them carrying a battle axe—preceded the coach procession of foreign Royalties back to the Palace.

**On The Balcony**

Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh appeared on the balcony of Buckingham Palace at 1.33 p.m. (10.33 p.m. HK time) and received a tremendous ovation from the crowd before the Palace gates.

The King and Queen appeared behind them and Queen Mary and Princess Andrew of Greece and Princess Margaret also appeared.—United Press.

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The Old Glory Returns To London



Preceded by scarlet-coated out-riders of the Household Cavalry, wearing ceremonial dress for the first time since the war, Princess Elizabeth waved to cheering throngs who packed the square before Buckingham Palace to see her leave for the Abbey with her father.

Behind rode blue-coated out-riders. In their midst was the Royal Standard.

Along the Mall, half a million people shouted themselves hoarse as the Princess drove to her wedding.

Here are shown members of the Household Cavalry, wearing their white-plumed helmets, red cloaks and white buckskin trousers. They are rehearsing for the Royal Marriage procession.—AP Photo.

Philip Turned  
Tables On  
Photographers

London, Nov. 20. Lieutenant Philip Mountbatten, the Duke of Edinburgh, turned the tables on press photographers last night.

The Duke, attending a "stag party" with some close friends and his uncle, Earl Mountbatten, Governor-General of India, permitted the press to photograph the party drinking beer after supper.

When the photographers had finished taking their shots, Philip then insisted on snapping the photographers.—Associated Press.

Royal Wedding's Most  
Exciting Moment

London, Nov. 20. The most exciting moment of the Royal Wedding was when, inside the Abbey, the wedding stood still for a moment when the Princess's train caught on the steps going up to the altar.

The heavy train, with its hundreds of thousands of seed-pearls, proved too much for the little Princess pages to handle.

For a moment, Elizabeth paused, looked anxiously around at little Prince William and Prince Michael.

Philip turned and murmured to her and then the King stepping out of position, bent down and used the train with the help of the best man, the Marquess of Milford Haven.

The Duchess of Kent, in a spectacular brocaded silk gown brilliant with her famous diamonds, looked anxiously at her young son as he wrestled with the train.

She exchanged looks with the Duchess of Gloucester who was equally concerned about her young son.

After signing the register in the Chapel of St. Edward the Confessor, and starting back through the Church as the organ played Mendelssohn's Wedding March, the young pages again were unable to handle the train going down the steps.

This time Princess Margaret, as the leading bridesmaid, picked up the train and helped the little boys—down to the red carpet five steps below.

Elizabeth was more sober during the ceremony than her handsome escort.

Before the ceremony, Philip

Many Hurt In  
Wedding Crowd

London, Nov. 20. It was officially announced that the casualties in the vast crowd amounted to 1,045 persons by 1 p.m., by which time 23 had been hospitalised, several with fractured legs.

As early as 1.30 p.m. crowds had begun to gather on Westminster Bridge to see Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh drive to Waterloo station to board their honeymoon train for Rome, Hampshire.—United Press.

H.K. Celebrates  
With Pomp  
And Pageantry

With pomp and martial pageantry, Land Forces, Hong Kong, represented by 25th Royal Artillery, the Buffs, the Devons and the Inniskilling Fusiliers yesterday celebrated the wedding of Princess Elizabeth and Lt. Philip Mountbatten.

In the green and secluded valley of Soekunpo, the mass bands of the Regiments were on parade.

Then there followed the troop-ing of the colours and the firing of the Royal Salute by 25th Field Regiment, Royal Artillery.

Additional colour was given by the pipers and drummers of the Inniskilling in their picturesque kilts and uniforms.

**The Salute**

After the Governor (Sir Alexander Grantham), who was in uniform, had taken the salute, the drums and pipes of the Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers started the programme off.

After the completion of the musical programme, which included the Wedding March from Lohengrin and "Hearts of Oak" (in honour of Lt. Philip Mountbatten), the regimental marches were played as the King's and Regimental colours marched past.

The sounding of Retreat, the bugle notes of which seemed to echo through the valley, was followed by the National Anthem and the Royal Salute.

The only mishap was at the end of the performance when a drummer collapsed and had to be assisted off the field after the bands had marched off.

**Fireworks**

At night a searchlight and firework display was given by H. M. Ships in harbour.

Shortly before nine the roads along the Praya were lined with people watching the display and in the Central district motor traffic was held up owing to the crowd.

All Naval ships in harbour were lit up last night.

Among those who visited Government House yesterday morning to convey through the Governor their congratulations to the newlyweds were:

The Roman Catholic Bishop of Hong Kong (Mgr. H. Valerita), the Chinese Government's Commissioner of Foreign Affairs (Mr. T. W. Kwok), Honourable Members of the Executive and Legislative Councils, and members of the Constabulary Corps headed by the Deputy Mr. G. D. Hooper, American Consul-General.

The Governor (Sir Alexander Grantham) has received the following telegram from the Governor of Macao:

"The Colony of Macao and this Government rejoice with

Canton Steamship  
Thought To Be  
Mined By Pirates

Canton, Nov. 20. Pearl River delta pirates are believed to have been responsible for the tragedy which overtook the Chinese-owned river steamer Kwai Hol in Tai Shek Passage, six miles below Canton, on Tuesday night, when the ship was blasted by a mine which killed 17 passengers and seriously injured 18 others.

This is the second mishap to befall the converted LCI since she started the Hong Kong-Canton night run. A mine exploded near her hull on Oct. 2, a few days after her owners had received a threatening letter demanding H.K.\$100,000 "protection money."

There is a general belief here that the river bandits were out to demonstrate their arrogant powers of levying a toll on river traffic. The Kwai Hol, lying alongside her berth here, with a gaping hole in her bottom, is mute testimony of their success.

The ship, which always made the river run at night, left the wharf here at 10 p.m. on Tuesday with 180 passengers aboard. They were mostly women traders who come to Hong Kong for commodities to sell in Canton.

When navigating Tai Shek Passage, about six miles from the city, at 11 p.m. she was shaken by a terrific explosion, so great as to tear the stand compass from its moorings on the bridge and set the fire extinguishers in operation.

**Appalling Scene**

The ship immediately moved to and her Master, Captain Archie Hutton, formerly of the Royal Navy, after posting armed guards to prevent any possible boarding by pirates, led a rescue party below to the holds where the passengers were accommodated.

An appalling scene was revealed. The mine had torn a large hole through the double bottom of No. 1 hold and the dead and wounded were strewn among the debris of the seats, while water poured through into the compartment.

Rescue work was immediately started, dead and wounded being brought up to the deck under the direction of the Captain, who also did what he could to give emergency medical attention.

When the tally was completed, three men, 13 women and one child were found to be dead, 18 suffering from serious injuries and others were slightly hurt.

**Lucky Escape**

The ship arrived back at her berth, listing sharply, at 1.10 a.m. yesterday. The dead and wounded were removed by 3 a.m.

Fortunately, there was no panic on board, and equally fortunate was the fact that the mine did not explode under No. 3 hold, where the diesel oil for the ship's engines is stored.

The force of the explosion can be gauged from the fact that the hull of the former LCI, constructed of special steel, was torn like paper.

Only her double bottom, with its 32 compartments, prevented her sinking in the channel and blocking river traffic for weeks.

**Gold Smugglers Behind Attempted Suicide?**

A sailor of the s.s. "Nanchang" who attempted suicide by hanging yesterday is believed by waterfront circles to be connected with the seizure of 108 taels of gold by Preventive Officers on Wednesday, the "China Mail" learned last night.

More gold was brought into Hong Kong by carriers on board the vessel than the amount seized, it was alleged.

The 48-year-old sailor was found hanging in one of the ship's holds at 8.30 a.m. yesterday. He was cut down and only immediate artificial respiration saved his life. He was removed to the Kowloon hospital.

**"Beaten Up"**

The sailor, waterfront circles told the "China Mail" yesterday, visited a West Point boarding house on Wednesday night.

There he was beaten up by some unknown persons and strung up by the thumbs.

The same circles said that the sailor was accused at the board-

The Tai Shek Passage is one of the narrowest channels in the river, and it is believed that the bandits towed out the mine and anchored it in the channel only a few minutes before the Kwai Hol was due to pass through. Positioning of the explosive was perfect. There was about 11 feet of water in the channel at the time of the explosion.—Reuter.

BOAC Survey  
Flight To  
Japan

BOAC is conducting a survey flight to Japan on Tuesday, preparatory to extending the Corporation's Poole-Hong Kong service to Tokyo, the "China Mail" learned yesterday.

A special plane (Captain Rudd) will fly to Iwakuni and return the following day (Wednesday).

Mr. A. D. Bennett, Hong Kong Manager of BOAC, and Mr. J. W. S. Branker, Head of BOAC's Eastern Division, are already in Tokyo discussing the subject with SCAP.

The two BOAC officials are scheduled to return to Hong Kong by the survey plane.

**Mails Ban**

It was officially confirmed yesterday that air mail service between Hong Kong and Japan has been temporarily suspended as a result of SCAP's ruling that commercial airlines are the only legal carriers of air mail.

A Government spokesman said that air mail service to Japan will be resumed next week or early next month when BOAC opens up a service between the Colony and Japan.

The RAF carried mail between the two places previously.

"The Colonel" Is  
Due On Sunday

Peking, Nov. 20. Colonel Robert McCormick's previously scheduled visit to Nanking was cancelled for health reasons today.

He arrived in Shanghai at dusk today. He plans to stay there until Sunday when he will leave for Hong Kong.

He spent the last part of his four-day visit to Peking in his hotel room where he was confined with a bad cold.—United Press.

PIPER PILOTS

Fort St. John, British Columbia, Nov. 20. Clifford Evans and George Truman, round-the-world fliers, landed their Piper Cub planes here in a temperature nine degrees above zero as snow fell.

Snow-plows cleared the field for their arrival from Watson Lake.

They hoped to go to Edmonton on Friday but weather forecasters warned the temperature was expected to drop to zero and snow was falling in the Edmonton area.—United Press.

The Weather

The Siberian anticyclone continues to dominate E Asia. The typhoon about 400 miles WNW of Canton is recurring and will probably move SSW.

Moderate NE winds, fine.

Yesterday's Weather: Maximum: 67.4 deg. Feh. Minimum: 44.4 deg. Feh. Sunshine: 10.4 hours.

Rainfall: Nil. Total since Jan. 1—282.8 mm.—101.88 in.; as against an average of 2099.0 mm.—82.64 in.

Equalises at: 10 a.m. 10.27 a.m.

Bar. at m.s.l.: 1024.7 1024.7 m.h.

Rel. humidity: 84.9% 80.8% m.h.

Prev. Point: 44.4 44.4 m.h.

Wind Direction: SWW 2 deg. W.

Wind Force: 2 m.h.







# LADY CHAN CHAK WINS TENANCY CASE

The Full Court yesterday gave judgment in favour of Lady Chan Chak on the two points in respect of which she had been called to be further examined on Wednesday, and made an order for possession of 11 Hart Avenue, Kowloon, now occupied by Mr. Francis Britto, within a fortnight.

The Court comprised Sir Henry Blackall (Chief Justice), Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Puisne Judge) and Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Additional Judge).

Lady Chan Chak was further examined as to whether she required the premises as a residence and as to alternative accommodation.

The points arose out of an appeal by Lady Chan Chak against the decision of a Tenancy Tribunal in favour of Mr. Francis Britto.

The appeal was based on the grounds: (1) That the decision of the Tribunal was wrong in law in that it held that, firstly, the acceptance of rent after expiry of notice to quit nullified the notice and created a new tenancy, and secondly, the application came under Section 19 (1) of the Landlord and Tenant Ordinance 1947.

(2) That the decision of the Tribunal was wrong in law and in fact in wrongly exercising discretion in finding that great hardship would be caused to Mr. Britto by ordering his eviction.

Judgment on the appeal, in law, was given in favour of Lady Chan Chak on Wednesday.

Lady Chan Chak, the appellant, was represented by the Hon. Mr. Leo d'Almada e Castro K.C., instructed by Mr. Y. K. Kuo of Messrs. Lo and Lo.

Mr. Francis Britto, respondent, was represented by Mr. B. A. Bernacchi, instructed by Mr. H. J. Armstrong of Messrs. Deacons.

## Judgment

Delivering judgment yesterday, Sir Henry said that having heard Lady Chan Chak's evidence, the Court was satisfied that she had a right to the premises as a residence.

It was contended by the respondent that, appellant had no right to the premises as a residence, but the Court found this contention to be untenable.

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The Court does not agree that the fact that a person may have means enough to live in a hotel constitutes a bar to his being allowed to live in the premises of a tenancy.

## No Costs

In all the circumstances, the Court thought it would be unfair to make respondent bear costs.

Sir Henry made an order for possession within 30 days, but Mr. d'Almada pointed out that respondent had given an undertaking for possession within a fortnight, hearing of the appeal having been delayed at his request.

Sir Henry told Mr. d'Almada that his client had been fortunate and the respondent unfortunate in that if Lady Chan Chak had bought the house in September instead of July 1946, she could not have availed herself of the law, and if the application had been made after May 23, 1947 instead of April 28, 1947, she would again have not been in such a favourable position, because respondent would have relied on the hardship clause.

Sir Henry also said that it was indeed difficult to get accommodation in these days and one must, in fairness, say that respondent had all reasonable grounds for making the appeal because he had the judgment of the Tribunal in his favour.

Sir Henry said that an order would, in view of the circumstances, be made for possession within a fortnight, but he hoped that a month would be given.

Mr. d'Almada said that it might be possible that Lady Chan Chak would consent to grant respondent until after Christmas.

# Three Chinese Artists



An exhibition of paintings by Yee Hon, Lee Byng and Luis Chan will be held at the St. Francis Hotel from November 25 to 29 under the auspices of the Hong Kong Working Artists' Guild.

Above are shown (left to right): Yee Hon, Luis Chan and Lee Byng.

# Bus-Driver And Mother Differ On Girl's Death

"Chinese generally do not pay attention to traffic precautions," said Mr. Latimer yesterday at Kowloon at an inquiry into the death of a 12-year-old girl, Leung Lai-yin, who was knocked down by Bus 4238 outside the Po Hing Theatre on April 5.

The case was adjourned until November 26. Chan Kam, who claimed to have 11 years bus driving experience, said the last performance of the Po Hing Theatre had just finished and people were rushing out under "heavy rain."

He did not "know anything" until he saw two persons in front of his bus, he said. When he saw them, he applied the hand-brake and foot-brake.

Chan asserted that one woman was shielding her eyes with one hand and holding a child with the other.

He also said that he was assaulted in a room inside the Kowloon Hospital by an unknown man and again in the Kowloon Mortuary by another unknown man.

## Mother's Story

Chan Shiu-mui, mother of the deceased, testified that "it was not raining very much," and that she was not shielding her eyes.

She said that she was holding her handbag with her right hand and had her left hand around her daughter's shoulder.

She said she saw people getting into the bus and, seeing others crossing, she assumed that it would be safe to do likewise.

She next thing she knew, she alleged, was to be "knocked down under the bus," and find her daughter lying in front of the front left wheel, unconscious.

Two discrepancies were found in evidence given by the mother and the driver. Chan asserted that the bus had to be reversed to enable the body of the deceased to be removed and that it was between the bus and the woman.

But Mrs. Chan said that she was under the bus, which was reversed to enable her to be got out and that her daughter was in front of the front left wheel.

Another contrasting point was that Mrs. Chan denied having her hand above her eyes while crossing the road, which Chan said she was doing.

Change of weather

# HEAVIEST BOMB TO BE TESTED

Washington, Nov. 19. The world's heaviest bomb—a 42,000 pounder—will be tested by the United States Air Force in about two weeks at Muroc Air Base in the Californian desert.

Twelve of the bombs have been delivered by the Army Ordnance Department for experimental dropping by modified Superfortresses.

## EGYPT CHOLERA INOCULATIONS

Telegraphic advice has been received that with effect from November 10, Egyptian Government demand all personnel arriving in Egypt from abroad must have been inoculated with one half cubic centimetre of cholera vaccine followed by a dose of one centimetre after an interval of seven days.

The second dose must have been given six days before the date of arrival and crews of vessels passing through the Canal whether or not disembarking Port Said or Suez.

One dose, one cubic centimetre, will not be accepted. All inoculated personnel must carry valid certificate in accordance with International Sanitary Convention bearing official title and stamp of inoculate officer.

## SMALL FIRE

A small fire broke out in the rear cubicle on the second floor of No. 618, Nathan Road at 5.00 p.m. yesterday.

Appliances from Kowloon Fire Station had the fire out shortly after their arrival and little damage was done.

## Doctor Features In "Tea Money" Case

Dr. C. U. Wan of China buildings, had demanded and received \$7,000 as "tea money" for letting No. 812 King's Road, first floor, on the pretext that the sum was a refund of the amount spent on repairs to the flat, alleged Mr. F. H. Sin before Mr. J. G. Conklin at Central yesterday.

Dr. Wan was summoned on three counts: (a) Demanding and receiving \$7,000 as "tea money" for letting No. 812 King's Road, first floor to Lui Ying-chak.

(b) Failing to supply a statement in writing to complainant as to the standard rent of the premises.

(c) Receiving a sum of \$400 per month as rent from August 1946 this being more than the standard rent required.

Mr. F. H. Sin was, for the complainant and Mr. B. A. Bernacchi, instructed by Mr. T. C. Woo was for the defendant.

Mr. Sin said that, in August 1946, complainant, who was

# BURGLAR'S TALE OF TORTURE DIDN'T WORK

Sentence of five years' hard labour was passed yesterday by Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Puisne Judge), on Wu Ting, found guilty by a jury on charges of house-breaking and resisting Police officers in the execution of their duty.

In a statement from the dock, accused alleged that he had been given the "electric torture" by the Police and forced to confess.

Mr. E. H. Sainsbury, assisted by Det. Insp. H. T. Matches, conducted the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Sainsbury described accused's arrest in Kent Road. In his girder was found a house-breaking implement; in one of his pockets a torch and in another a spare bulb.

The man was taken to Somerset Road, where he said he had gone to steal, but had in fact stolen nothing.

On Sept. 14, accused took the Police to different places in Kent Road and Stafford Road and showed how he had gained admission to these places.

## Complaint

After evidence in support of the Crown case had been given, accused alleged that he was told by the interpreter to admit that he had made use of the house-breaking implement for committing thefts.

He said that he was walking along Waterloo Road at about 6 a.m. on Sept. 9, when two uniformed policemen shouted to him. He did not hear them and continued walking.

Several plain-clothes men then came out of a garden and beat him until he was unconscious.

When he recovered, he was taken to the Police Station, where it was alleged that a house-breaking implement which was produced was his property.

He was later taken to Hospital and, when discharged, was asked to accompany the Police to certain houses and to admit that he had committed burglaries at these places.

When he denied that he had committed burglaries, he was sent across the harbour to Police Headquarters, where he was given the "electric torture."

As he could not stand the pain, he admitted the allegations as a temporary measure.

After the jury had returned the verdict, Mr. Sainsbury disclosed that accused had numerous previous convictions for larceny and was, at the time of the outbreak of hostilities in Hong Kong, serving a two and a half years' sentence in Stanley Prison, but had been released by the Japanese.

## Chose Wrong Time To Feed Inspector's Dog

In the early hours of the morning of Nov. 16, Inspector Tyler was awakened by some noise. On looking out of his window he saw a Chinese man peering in one of his windows.

On going downstairs, he found some foodstuff which had apparently been meant for his dog.

He lost sight of the man but kept watch. After a while the man returned. The Inspector got outside; the man ran away but was caught.

These facts were told by Inspector Bowring at the Central Magistracy to Mr. J. G. Conklin when Chan Yee was charged with loitering in the Government quarters, Kennedy Town, without a satisfactory reason.

The prosecuting inspector added that the foodstuff was sent to the Government analyst who was too busy to analyse it.

Chan Yee was also charged with the theft of a piece of curtain material at the same place on July 23.

He was sentenced to three months' hard labour on the first charge and to nine months on the second. He was also ordered to be expelled.

The hearing was adjourned.

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How gratefully we glow.  
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The day has a smile,  
"A knife! A knife!"  
No, wait for a while.  
Let it lie on the table,  
A joy in the mind,  
We took at the label:  
We cry, "How kind!"  
We feel—and we guess  
We wonder and muller  
"Cheese?" Possibly—Yes,  
It couldn't be better.  
Then the great Opening,  
Children again,  
Slowly, slowly,  
We make all plain:  
Magical packets,  
One by one.

Lovingly wrapped,  
Gently undone,  
Cake-powder—Jellies—  
Unless I'm mistaken—  
It can't be—it is  
A morsel of bacon!  
We give some away—  
You're glad, I know—  
And always we say,  
"It's from so-and-so."  
The neighbours leave  
Like men with inherited  
wealth:  
And we all eye  
We nibble your noble health.  
Think not our bellies  
Are the only affected parts;  
You help us to live,  
But we eat as you give,  
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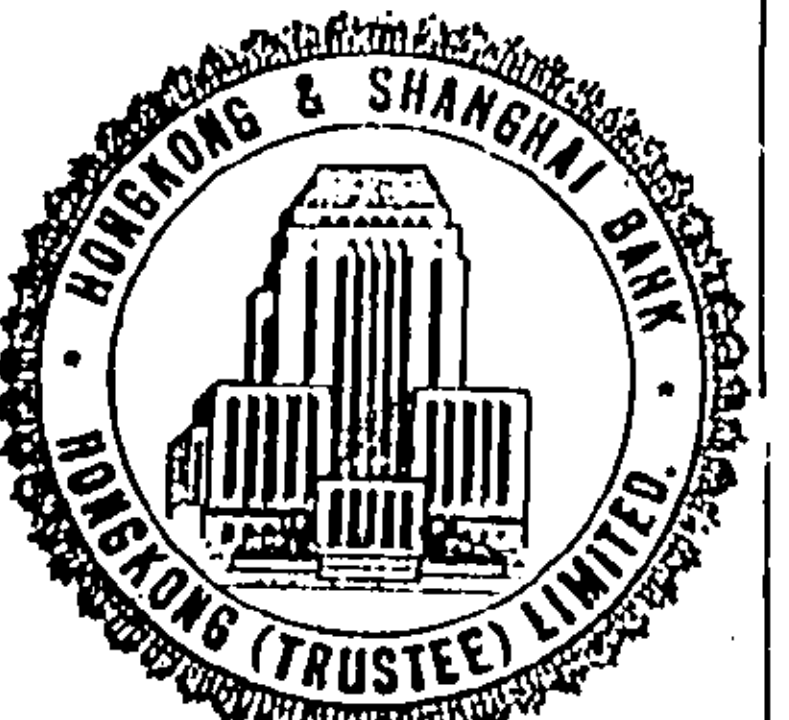
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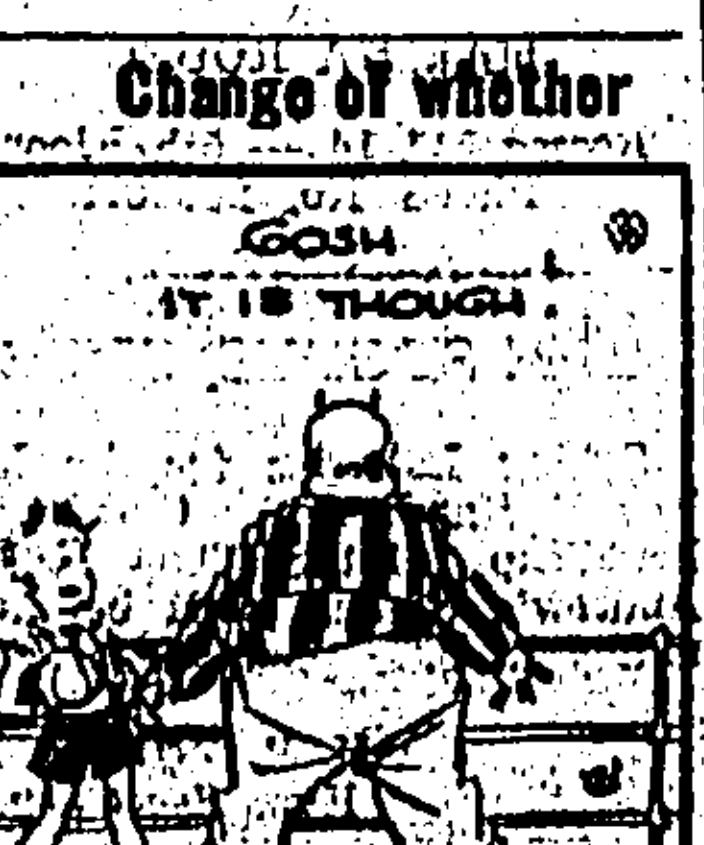
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## NOTICE

M. BATER—LYNN HELLWIG. Wish to announce that as from Monday November 17th 1947 their Office will be 5th Floor MARINA HOUSE.

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### Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Mezzanine Floor, Windsor House, Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong at 11 a.m. on Friday the 21st. day of November 1947 for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the following Resolution as an ordinary Resolution.

"That the authorised capital of the Company be increased from its present capital of \$2,250,000.00 divided into 300,000 shares of \$7.50 each (of which 293,355 shares have been issued) to \$7,500,000.00 by the creation of 700,000 additional shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each and that the unissued shares of the Company's capital as aforesaid shall be issued at such time or times and upon such terms and conditions as the Company's Board of Directors in their absolute discretion shall think fit."

NOTICE is also given that if the above Resolution is duly passed it is the intention of the Directors to close the Register of Members of the Company for a period of two weeks from the 17th. day of December 1947 to the 30th day of December 1947 both dates inclusive. The Directors will offer to members shown on such Register on the 16th day of December 1947, 6,665 shares of the Company of the nominal value of \$7.50 each (being the present unissued capital of the Company) together with an additional 188,892 shares of the nominal value of \$7.50 each created in accordance with the above Resolution all at a premium of \$7.50 per share and on the footing that the full nominal value of each share taken up plus the premium (making together \$15.00 per share) shall be paid in full on acceptance of the offer and in any case not later than the 31st March 1948 and so that each member of the Company or his approved nominee shall be entitled to apply for and take up two new shares for every three issued shares held by such member on the 16th December 1947. The shares so offered shall rank for dividend as from the 1st day of April 1948.

If under the terms of the offer any member would be entitled to a fractional share the Directors in lieu of issuing fractional certificates will cause the whole share to be issued to a person or persons to be named by the Directors and such share shall at such time as the Directors think fit be sold and the proceeds distributed among the persons entitled to the fractions making up such share.

The Directors will dispose of any shares offered to members in the event of non acceptance by payment therefor by members or their approved nominees on or before the 31st day of March 1948 at such time or times and upon such terms and conditions as they may decide.

It is most important that any persons who have purchased shares in the Company but are not on the Register in respect thereof should, if they wish to take advantage of the offer, present their transfers for registration accompanied by the requisite share certificates on or before the 16th day of December 1947.

The offer will be made by Notice sent by Post to each shareholder specifying the number of shares to which each shareholder is entitled and such offer, if not accepted either on behalf of such member or his nominee on or before the 31st day of March 1948, will be deemed to be declined.

By Order of the Board of Directors, J. D. THOMSON, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 31st October, 1947.

## NOTICE

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Through passengers for the U.K. are advised of the receipt of instructions that Cholera Inoculations are now no longer required by the Egyptian Authorities.

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## IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG

### PROBATE JURISDICTION

IN THE GOODS of ARDESHIR BEJANJEE KHARAS otherwise spelt ARDESHIR BEJONJEE KHARAS late of No. 38 Ice House Street Top Floor Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong Retired Accountant deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has by virtue of Section 68 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 11th day of December 1947.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 17th day of Nov. 1947.

A. el ARCULI

Solicitor for the Executor of the said deceased.

Kayamally Building, 2nd floor, Hong Kong.

## CONCERT

The second concert of the Music Group of the Sino-British Club will be held at St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lytleton Road, on Thursday, 27th November, at 9.00 p.m.

The programme will consist of selections of European and Chinese music by the following artists: — Tamara Brown (soprano), Clara Stansfeld (piano), Cheng Chik Pui (violin), Harold Woods (clarinet), Yeh Hau (tenor), and the Chung Hwa Mixed Chorus.

Admission:—\$5, \$3, \$2 and \$1. Tickets on sale at S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd., Chater Road.

## EX-GUNNERS ROLL OF HONG KONG

The Annual Dinner will be held in the Jacobean Room, Hong Kong Hotel, on St. Barbara's Day, 4th December at 1945 for 2015.

Will members please notify me of their present addresses for further information.

Membership of the Ex-Gunners Roll of Hong Kong, is cordially extended to all who have served at any time and in any rank, but who are no longer serving, in the Royal Regiment of Artillery.

C. CHAMPKIN, Hon. Secy, c/o Hong Kong Club.

# U.N. PLANS FOR JERUSALEM City To Be Ruled As International Zone Realistic Scheme Agreed

Lake Success, N.Y. Nov. 20. Jerusalem, under the proposal to partition Palestine, will be governed as an international zone, according to the plan of the United Nations Palestine Sub-Committee outlined here today. The Governor of the city will be selected for his special qualifications without regard to nationality, but may not be a citizen of Palestine.

He will organize a special police force—to be recruited outside Palestine—for maintaining law and order. Jerusalem will be demilitarized, its neutrality declared and preserved, and no military formations nor activities will be permitted within its boundaries.

Under the plan its residents will elect by secret ballot and proportionate representation a legislative council with powers of taxation and legislation.

But the Governor will have the right to veto any bills and to make temporary ordinances. He will exercise all powers of administration, including foreign affairs. His staff will be classed as international officers and those whenever possible from Jerusalem residents.

The Sub-Committee has agreed that Jerusalem's boundaries under the suggested regime should include the present municipality and a number of surrounding villages and towns, including Shufat to the north, Bethlehem to the south, Abu Dir to the east and Ein Karim to the west.

Included in Union. The Sub-Committee accepted a suggestion by Mr. Moshe Shertok, of the Jewish Agency, that Moshe should be included in a Palestine economic union and shall give equal treatment to all United Nations subjects in economic matters. There will be an independent judiciary system, including a court of appeal.

There will be freedom of transit within Jerusalem, subject to security considerations and to control by the Governor. The United Nations Sub-Committee has not yet decided whether the International Zone of Jerusalem shall be under the United Nations Trusteeship Council, the Security Council, or under a special commission of the General Assembly, nor has it determined the duration of the international regime.

Real Issues Avoided. The Sub-Committee's plan for the partition of Palestine is considered in informed London quarters today to have avoided the fundamental problem of how to implement partition against armed opposition, or in the event of disorder.

Observers feel, however, that the plan agreed yesterday by the United States and Soviet Russia is "more realistic" than previous ones. It shows that the United States and Russia have at last decided to take seriously Britain's intention to withdraw all troops from Palestine by August 1, 1948 and her repeated refusal to implement the partition against either Arab or Jewish opposition.

By providing for handing over Palestine's administration to the United Nations immediately after approval by the General Assembly of the plan gets over the difficulty of maintaining law and order between the end of the mandate and Britain's final evacuation—

By Order of the Board J. L. MARDEN Secretary.

Hongkong, 20th November, 1947.

## Proposed ENGINEERING SOCIETY OF HONG KONG

A Public Meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY—NOV. 26th AT 5.30 P.M.

In the Board Room of JARDINE MATHESON & CO. For the purpose of inaugurating the above Society and to elect Officers for the first Session.

All who are connected with the Engineering profession and are interested in the proposed Society are cordially welcome.

J. FINNIE (Chairman, Provisional Committee) W. A. ANKERSON (Hon. Secretary) Tel. No. 31881.

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## THE SPORTS CLUB

Selling Lotteries for the Rob Roy Handicap, Caledonian Handicap (1st Section) & St. Andrew's Stakes will be held to-day at 5.30 p.m. sharp.

H. S. YUNG, Hon. Secretary.

## Strength of India Armies

New Delhi, Nov. 19. Government spokesmen intimated today the Dominion of India has about 200,000 men under arms and the Moslem Dominion of Pakistan about 150,000.

The estimates were given in response to questions in the Indian Constituent Assembly. There was no direct reference during the discussion to the currently strained relations between the two Dominions.

The questioning disclosed that the United Indian Army last June included 10,184 British officers. The Army of the Dominion of India now includes only 1,204 Britons, spokesmen said, but they did not know how many remained in Pakistan.—Associated Press.

## British Talks With Argentine

London, Nov. 20. The Board of Trade today said talks had been taking place in Buenos Aires between the British Embassy and Argentine authorities during recent weeks on the use of sterling in the purchase of British-owned railways and the shipping of food supplies to Britain.

The Board said: "In connection with these talks, it has been decided to send a small mission to Buenos Aires to review in greater detail methods of exchanging and expanding commercial exchanges between the two countries, to the best interest of both."

The Mission will be led by Sir Clive Baillieu, assisted by officials of the Treasury, Board of Trade, Ministry of Supply and Ministry of Food.

"The Mission propose to leave for Buenos Aires by air not later than November 28 and hope to begin their discussion with the Argentine authorities immediately on arrival," the Board added.—United Press.

## DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS SUPPLIES

1. Under instructions from the War Office London the following quantities of RASC Supplies are offered for sale, provided they are not exported to the UK.

2. Tenders are invited for the purchase of the whole or part lots of each commodity.

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4. These commodities may be inspected at the Command Supply Depot, Shamshupo, between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily until Friday 21st November, 1947.

5. Applications to view will be received at and necessary passes and tender forms obtained from HQ RASC, Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon, daily between the hours of 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. up to Thursday 20th November, 1947.

6. Tenders will be received up to 11 a.m. Tuesday, 25th November, and must be deposited at HQ RASC, Whitfield Barracks, Kowloon, in sealed packets, marked "Tender for purchase of RASC Supplies" before this time and date.

7. The Secretary of State for War does not bind himself to accept the highest or any tender.

E. G. HAZELTON

Lieutenant-Colonel, Commander, Royal Army Service Corps, HQ Land Force, Hong Kong.

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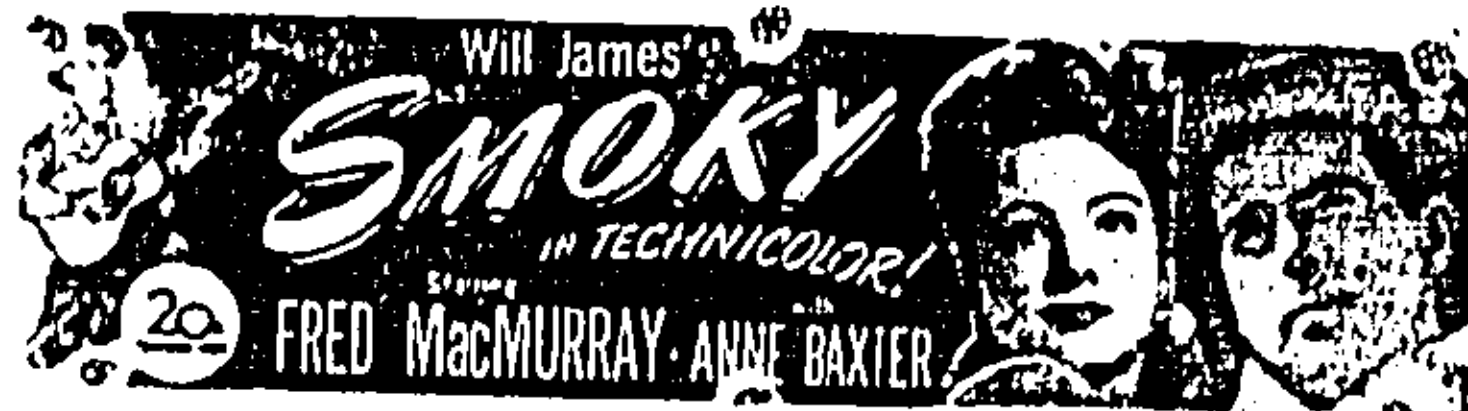
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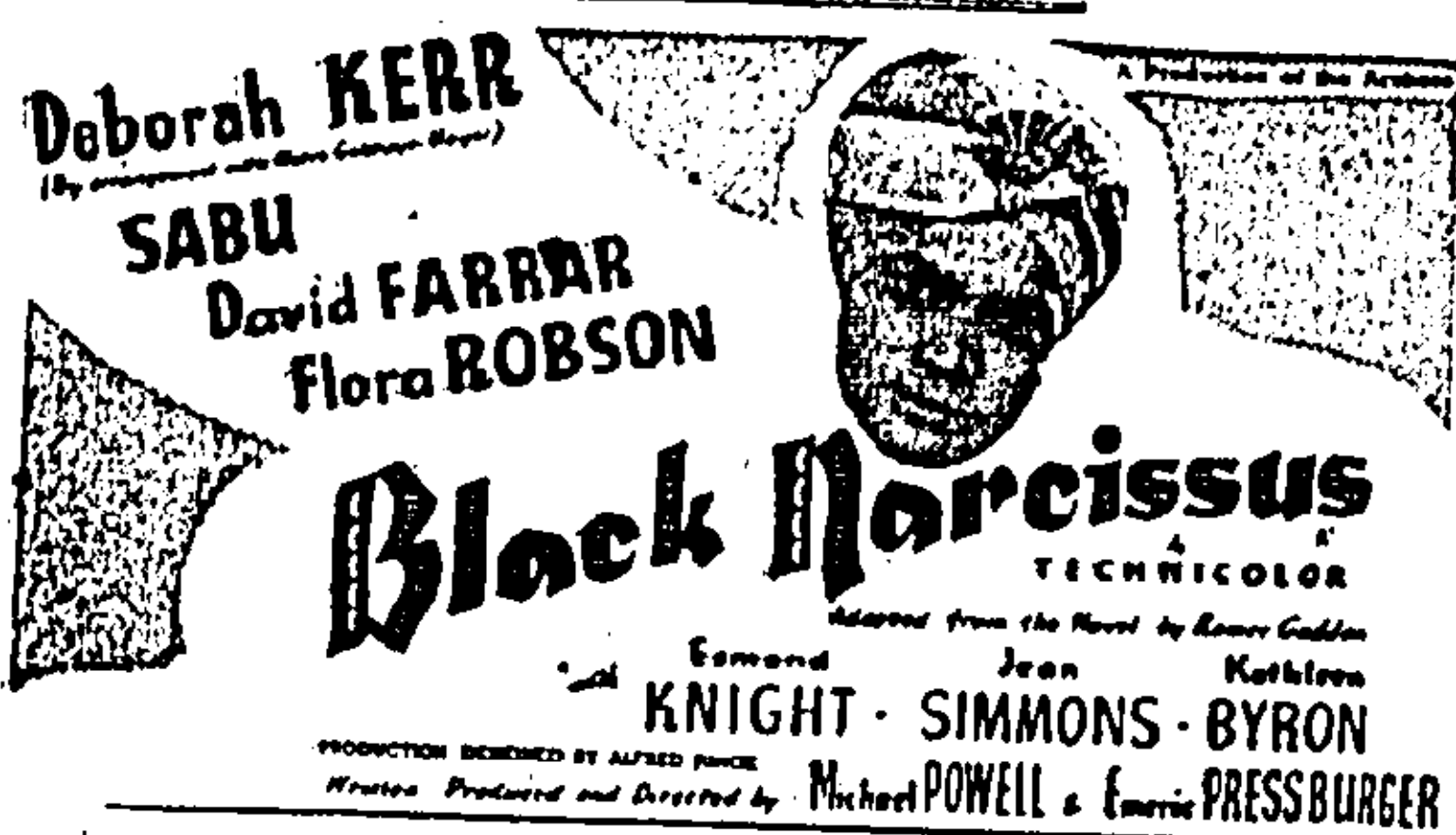
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# RAMADIER RESIGNATION

## Leon Blum Tipped As Next French Premier

### Radicals Cause Of Crisis

Paris, Nov. 19. The Socialist Premier, Paul Ramadier resigned his office tonight as the country faced spreading national strikes already involving 600,000 workers. This followed a three-hour emergency meeting and a visit M. Ramadier paid late tonight to President Auriol at Elysee Palace.

His resignation was a collective one of the whole Cabinet, and an official statement from the President's office said that M. Ramadier had resigned in order that "action may be taken in which all the Republic and parties can engage their responsibility."

The President immediately started consultations with a view to nominating a new Premier. He first saw the speaker of the National Assembly, M. Merion, and was to meet after that the speaker of the Upper Chamber and individually the chairmen of Parliamentary groups of leading parties.

The consultations were expected to go until midnight and to continue tomorrow morning. The resignation of the Cabinet was precipitated, it was stated in well-informed political circles by the dissatisfaction among Radical deputies friendly to General Charles De Gaulle.

#### "Third Force"

They objected to behind the scenes manoeuvres of the past week by the so-called "Third Force" parties—Socialists and Popular Republicans with some support from the Right—who tried to prepare an alternative Government before placing the issue before Parliament. The Radical group in the National Assembly refused to consult on the future administration with the Socialists protesting against what it described as "unconstitutional procedure."

Veteran Socialist M. Leon Blum, was tonight thought to be the man on whom President Auriol would call to form the next Government—the ninth since the liberation.

#### Blum Willing

M. Blum has agreed to form a new Cabinet if he is called on to do so by the President of the Republic, it was announced by M. Guy Mollet, Secretary General of the French Socialist Party. M. Mollet said that no names of likely new Cabinet Ministers had yet been agreed on. M. Blum was ready, M. Mollet said, to head a new Government to safeguard Republican institutions. M. Mollet did not exclude the possibility of an all-Socialist Government but also envisaged the possibility of a Government based on a coalition of Socialists and popular Republicans, with the participation of radicals and independent Conservatives.

#### Hard Measures

M. Mollet said: "The present position demands certain measures which are found to be hard and unpopular. Everybody in the parties concerned are agreed on this." Asked what the programme of the new Government would be, M. Mollet said it first would involve the raising of minimum salaries for everybody, the fixing of a new price level and the rigid freezing of prices and wages at these new levels for a certain period. M. Mollet added that everybody from the Socialists to the Right favoured the introduction of the rule that a secret ballot should be taken in all trade unions before any strike was authorised.—Reuter.

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#### CRYPTIC COMMENT

Moscow, Nov. 19. A Soviet weekly periodical hinted today that foreign observers are sadly in error if they do not believe the Soviet Union has the economic might to produce an atomic bomb. It did not say Russia has the atomic bomb, that it has made one or that it is going to make one. It is simply attacked any theories in the foreign camp that while Russia might have the secret of the bomb, she lacks the ability and resources to make it. Associated Press.

#### Sending Funds To Japan

Washington, Nov. 19. The State Department announced today that the military government regulations in Japan have been relaxed to permit the remittance of funds through commercial banking channels to any person in Japan.

The Department said the action was taken "in view of the desire of personal organizations abroad to make remittances for charitable or similar purposes to Japanese nationals and in anticipation of the need of foreign businessmen entering Japan to obtain funds to meet current expenses."

The Department said that funds could also be used to meet "probably the need of United Nations nationals for rehabilitation of their properties in Japan."

Under the revised regulations any person in Japan may now receive remittances up to a maximum of US\$1,000 monthly through any American bank licensed to operate a branch in Japan.—United Press.

#### President Boat's Maiden Trip

San Francisco, Nov. 20. The 23,000-ton President Cleveland will leave San Francisco on her maiden voyage on December 27, the President Lines announced today.

With a capacity load of about 550 passengers, the luxury ship will stop at Honolulu, Manila, Hongkong, Shanghai and Yokohama. She will return on February 9. The Cleveland's sister ship, President Wilson, will be completed next spring.—United Press.

#### New Defence Body For Britain

London, Nov. 19. A new civil defence organisation for Britain was announced in the House of Commons today by the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee. In addition to the wartime arrangements for dealing with bomb attacks, mobile military columns will be trained to reinforce civil defence services where necessary.

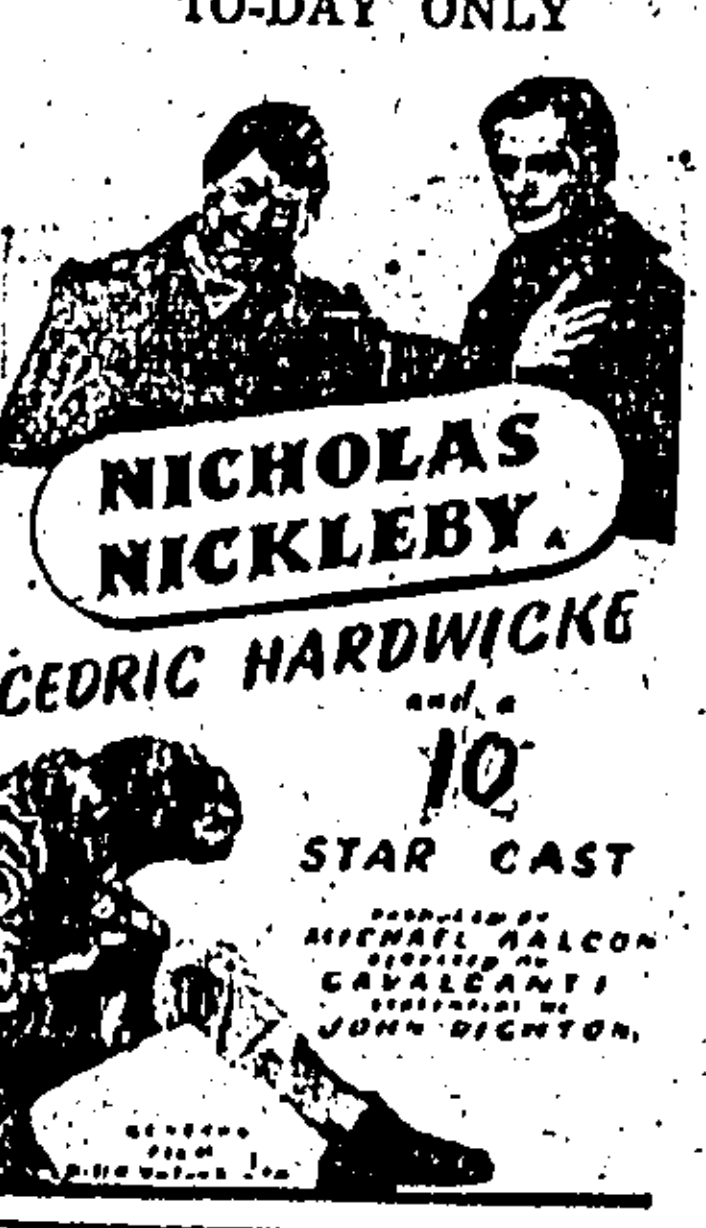
Mr. Attlee made it clear in a reply to questions that such possibilities as dealing with atomic bombs had "naturally been taken into account."

Civilian, static and mobile services would be attached to and developed from such services as the police, fire, medical and health services which in any case had other duties to perform. The mobile military columns would provide a reserve for the reinforcements of local services where necessary.

Recruiting for civilian services would be on a part time voluntary basis, Mr. Attlee declared. Mr. Attlee also stated that provision would be made later for dispersal and evacuation, for bomb shelters and other essential elements in an overall plan for civil defence in the light of study now being made.

It was hoped to have the assistance of clubs and associations of men and women formerly connected with, or interested in civil defence, and of

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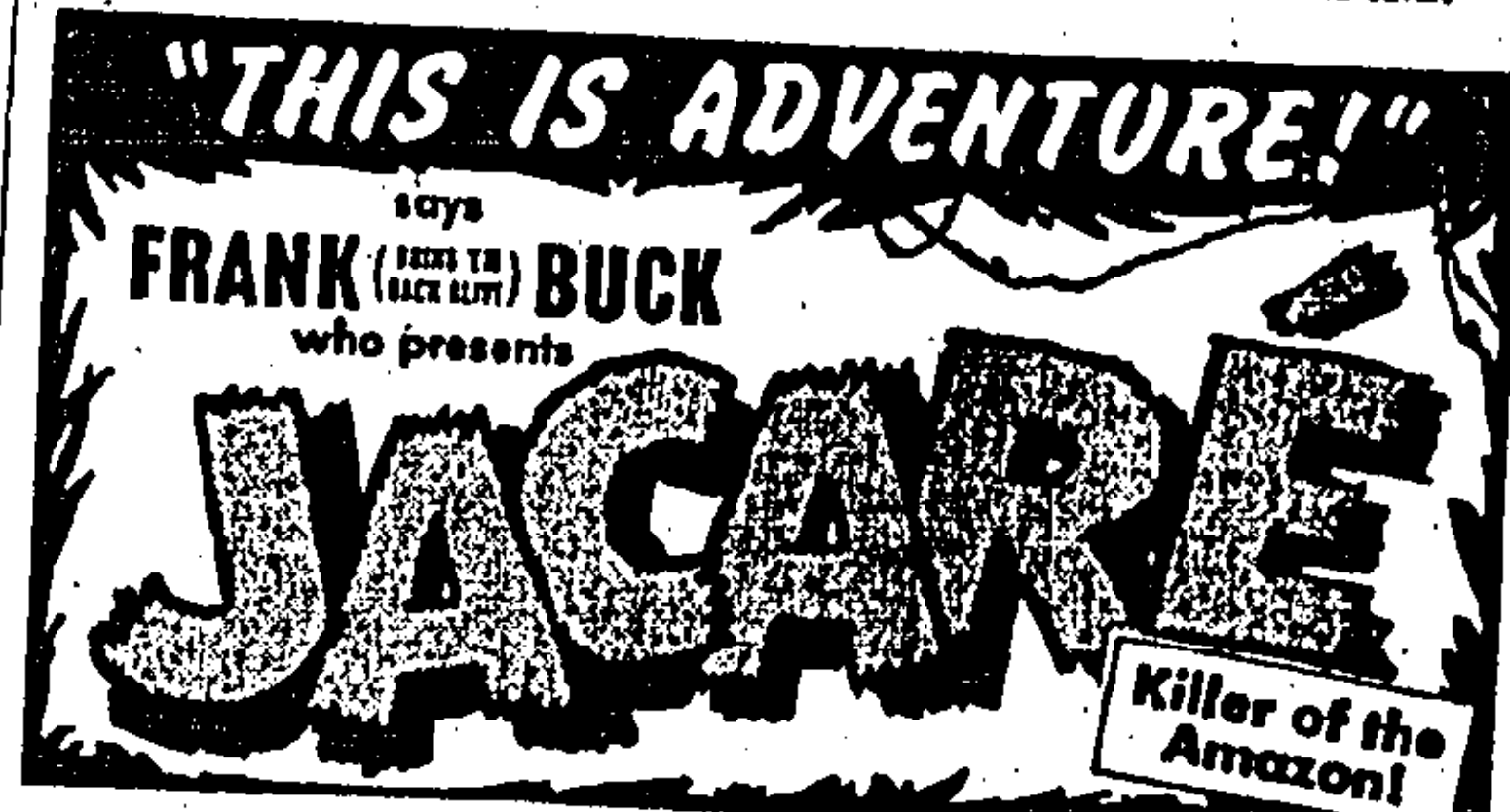
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## THE ROYAL WEDDING

The tremendous enthusiasm with which London turned out yesterday to make memorable the wedding day of Her Royal Highness The Princess Elizabeth and Lieutenant Philip Mountbatten (newly created Duke of Edinburgh) bore eloquent witness to the national joy, shared by millions throughout the Empire, in a marriage which begins with all that combines to ensure success and lasting happiness. In a Royal marriage that involves the Succession to the Throne much more than the personal happiness of the bride and bridegroom is at stake. But few who know of the ideal family life in which Princess Elizabeth has been brought up to the bloom of young womanhood would believe that their Majesties would have given their consent to a match which offered their elder daughter anything less than the same love and companionship. No less confidence can be expressed that His Majesty early recognised in his first son-in-law the qualities that fit him for the responsibilities that will fall to him in the years ahead. Like His Majesty and King George V before him, the young Duke of Edinburgh will doubtless find himself too close to the throne to be able to further pursue his naval career. But the modesty, tact and good humour which endeared him to his ship-mates will go a long way to equip him for those social duties that must fall to the consort of a future Queen. Of the Princess Elizabeth no more need be said than that in relatively short active public life, she has won for herself a place in the hearts of the people, a warmth of esteem and popularity scarcely excelled by the Duke of Windsor in his debonair youth. All that is known of the happy couple, both of them so richly endowed with the quality of great personal charm, has, indeed, universally commended the Royal choice, and given release to worldwide pleasure almost unparalleled in British history. In England especially, where economic difficulties seem well-nigh insuperable, the wedding has taken the entire people out of themselves for a day, and imparted a gleam of happiness that has lightened all save a few sour spirits and given a keener incentive for the heavy tasks that lie before. Hong Kong joins wholeheartedly in the felicitations that are pouring in on the Royal Family from every part of the globe, and in the flood of good wishes for the future happiness of the Princess and her husband. In love and harmony, may they ever continue.

## First Election

Despite this compounded adversity, the Kuomintang National Government is going ahead with plans for China's first election in history. Although it is certain to be a Kuomintang landslide, in which the important opposition is either not able or will not be permitted to participate, many observers see hope in the mere fact that under circumstances even the presence of a start toward democracy is to be made. The elections of 3,044 delegates to the National Assembly is scheduled for November 21, 22 and 23, and Chiang says that there is to be no postponement. What are the prospects of Chiang and the Government riding out the bitter months of cold and crisis with no important additional aid from without? Most observers think that he can and will, but in the same breath add the warning that he cannot go on forever. The fog of war obscures the military situation more than usual. Manchuria is at present quiet, but it is a

## 100 Years Ago

(From the files of the "China Mail")

Some of the London papers have fallen foul of the Government of Hong Kong for its course of procedure in regard to the affray which took place in the harbour on the 15th of October, and the trial of the master of an English coasting vessel for the alleged piratical capture of a junk with violence. The "Daily News" tells the tale at some length, and has the following curt commentaries:-

"The spirited and independent conduct of the coroner's jury has had an excellent effect upon the temper of the natives. But to be productive of lasting good it would require to be followed up on the part of the Hongkong Government by a material amendment of their harbour and police regulations, and more efficient and judicious enforcement of them."

"We regret to add that the local Government, instead of evincing any disposition to make this use of so lamentable an event, appears to be animated solely by a spirit of paltry anger at the 'presumption' of the jury in reading them a lesson. The truth is that the complicated network of politico-diplomatic-consular machinery, which has its centre at Hong Kong, and extends its ramifications along the Chinese coast from Canton to Shanghai, is utterly inefficient but for mischief."

## KING MICHAEL

London, Nov. 20. King Michael of Rumania will leave London after the wedding of Princess Elizabeth and return to Rumania during the weekend. His personal secretary told the United Press today. King Michael refused to make any statement—political or non-political—and declined to see press representatives. United Press.

Her Majesty's steamer "Inflexible" has visited the West Coast of China, the Island of Hainan, and Coast of the "Kelpie," China in search of the "Kelpie," the greatest search-and-rescue mission ever undertaken. No trace of the missing clipper and the melancholy conviction is now unavoidable that all hope of her safety must be abandoned.

IT LOOKS LIKE ANOTHER HARD WINTER IN CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S CHINA, SAYS FRED HAMPSON, IN THIS ARTICLE ON

## WINTER CRISIS THREATENS CHINA

It looks like another hard winter in Chiang Kai-shek's China. The Communists, stayed off at least temporarily in Manchuria, have erupted behind the lines to speak and have taken Shihchiachung, 171 miles southwest of Peiping, major North China economic prop. One-eyed General Liu Po-cheng and his Communist raiders still are smacking Yangtze shipping between Hankow and Nanking. A lot of people are afraid that he will cross the river one of these days and cut the railroad from South China.

The industries in the lower Yangtze Delta are not going to get much coal from North China. Neither are the braziers of the huts of Hongkew, and Shanghai's carpeted skyscrapers will be chilly again too.

Chinese dollars dropped 50,000 points in the last 60 days and it takes 100 of them now to buy one United States dollar in the black market. The printing press issues a new flood of dollars which the Government spends faster than wages can climb to counteract each new shrinking in value, and the living level goes down and down.

Dollar credits to pay for needed imports from abroad get scarce and trade is at a trickle while China's exportables, which could bring the needed dollars, lie dormant in behind broken transportation lines. The separation sentiment in South China is unshakened and the points of Communist eruption grow in number. Three provinces of Hainan Island off the South China coast are in the hands of raiders who take no orders from Nanking and the discontented in troubled Formosa say that they intend to ask the United Nations for Formosan independence. Worst of all, the prospect of American aid substantial enough to stabilize money and win the war, has all but disappeared.

breathing spell or the end of the battle? If the latter, the Nationalists have held all the important bastions, including the Japanese-built Hsiao Lungmen Dam, which powers South Manchuria. Both sides were badly mauled, but the Communist casualties were heavier. Fighting on the heels of a purge of military leaders at Peiping is giving the Reds a land link between Shensi and Hopei and Shantung—a severe blow. The audacity of Liu Po-cheng—supposedly soundly thrashed last summer in Shantung—in raiding the Yangtze is equally disturbing. If he crosses the river, he might strike a blow that Chiang could not survive.

Russia's role remains vague. Proof of direct Soviet aid is lacking, but with the Soviets holding Dairen, Port Arthur, North Korea and strengthening positions everywhere, it is highly unlikely that they are not siding the Chinese Reds in some way.

Economically, Chiang's China grows ever darker. In an October tumble the Chinese dollar fell from 50,000 to 90,000 to one American dollar. The latest estimates are that 30% of the Government expenditures go for war so not much is left for rebuilding factories and transportation lines. Dollar credits are dwindling and China's sources of more dollar credits remain untapped. I met a Britisher on a Hong Kong

bound ship who neatly illustrated the world's ill and China's inability to tap her own wealth. "In London I could have an egg-plant if I could buy it. In Hankow I bought fifty eggs for fifty American cents," he said.

The Yangtze egg export trade is an example of war-caused stagnation. It once brought millions of foreign dollars to China but now languishes because eggs aren't moving down the Yangtze from Hankow. China hasn't ships enough and won't let foreign ships ply between Chinese ports. So ocean freighters leave Shanghai high and light toward markets hungry for eggs while Shanghai foreign shippers gnash their teeth, thinking of the upriver cargoes which China can't and won't let them bring to Shanghai's docks.

Marshall's proposal of \$60,000,000 in aid China by next July 1, and growing to \$300,000,000 in the following year, was a jolt to Nanking which hoped for at least \$1,500,000,000 with a big slash for war and a big slice for stabilization.

But most Americans here were not surprised at the limited aid proposed. They believe and they think both Marshall and Wedemeyer believe that big-scale aid could not be supervised and safeguarded without affecting China's sovereignty and that unless so supervised and safeguarded it would be wasted.

Most of them would like to see American aid to China wisely and in a big measure because they believe it would pay off both politically and economically but they ask repeatedly "How?" Nobody has found the answer here. Associated Press.

## Britain's Economic Dictator By C.T. Hallinan

London, Nov. 19. Sir Stafford Cripps is beginning to fill the public mind. Appointed on September 29 to be the country's first Minister for Economic Affairs (and lately succeeded Mr. Hugh Dalton as Chancellor of the Exchequer), he has been given the formidable task of wiping out Britain's current dollar shortage, now running at the rate of \$200,000,000 a year. He can only do this by increasing exports to the "dollar area" while at the same time reducing imports from that area. He must work simultaneously on two levels—the planning level and the public relations level.

It is an unattractive task. If he succeeds the country will be back about where it was at the end of the war. But if he fails, Britain's 48 million people will be in the grip of the dreaded "descending spiral" in which food shortages and universal drabness reduce the production of goods and lower the general standard of living, all factors inter-acting downwards.

The man chosen to extricate the country from its plight is a singular figure. He is a wealthy retired lawyer—in the United States he would be described as a "corporate lawyer." In the 10 years between 1920 and 1930 he amassed a fortune at the English bar, specializing in the difficult commercial law. Then he abruptly gave up his attractive practice and followed his father, the wealthy Lord Parmoor, into the Labour Party where he was effectively welcomed by the late Ramsey MacDonald and given a seat in the second Labour Cabinet.

## No Mixer

The House of Commons found him old—no mixer—but he has no rival in the House in making a persuasive speech on a complicated issue. As President of the Board of Trade, according to one report, he took at the end of a telephone and "broke bottlenecks in production all day long." Perhaps his greatest assets for this job are a first-class brain, an instant willingness to take responsibility, and a transparent sincerity. Even those who find his personal austerity somewhat trying do not question his sincerity.

On the public relations side he seems to be making headway. He finds that the British public is awfully with "targets" and ministerial exhortations. Sir Stafford's speeches are getting shorter. He is obviously trying to clear the skies of the targets which darken the horizon of the times he has called for a 10 per cent increase in popular effort; this is an over-simplification but it has the merit of persuading the people that the effort is within their powers.

But perhaps his greatest difficulty is the drabness of his goal, namely that things must not be allowed to get worse. He can promise no New Jerusalem of leisure and opulence. He has no mandate—as yet—to work out a Two-Year Plan or a Five-Year Plan. He cannot promise "pie in the sky."

Why? And this is the difference between the situation in Britain and the situation reported by Labour M.P.s. who are cruising around the Left Wing countries of Eastern Europe. They come back and report wholeheartedly, new industries started, universal awakening in the tempo of life. Why, they demand querulously,

ly, can't the same atmosphere be created here?

But Sir Stafford is Minister for Today's Economic Affairs, not those of Tomorrow.

But it is precisely here that Sir Stafford becomes most interesting. For he is the only Minister who has shown publicly any realization that Britain's "dollar crisis"—and that of Europe—is, so to speak, a permanent one.

On August 7 in the House of Commons when he wound up the debate on "The State of the Nation" he deeply impressed all sections of the House. He pointed out that America has a capacity to export year after year, some \$1 or 10 milliard dollars worth of goods in excess of the goods which its protected private enterprise is willing to accept in return. This is a world problem, said Sir Stafford, and will be with us for a long time. The implication is that Britain will have to plan to meet a more or less permanent imbalance of trade between Europe and the Americas. Thus, while he has accepted without demur the very limited character of his mandate, he is obviously beginning to think in longer terms. What he finally suggests seems like a great deal of weight.—United Press.

## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

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## MANY PLAYS MARKED

Many of the most complex plays known to the game can be marked in advance as both necessary, to make your contract and also as sure to succeed. They are marked as winners by the bidding or the early play or a combination of the two. This is just as true of intricate squeezes as of the simplest throw-ins. Even a device as rare as a double "Vienna coup"—in which you deliberately set up hostile high cards in two suits and then squeeze them to death—can be foretold sometimes as a positive winner.

SA 10 3 2  
HA 9 8 5  
D 9  
C 9 5 4 2  
KQJ95  
KQ73  
A 4  
10 6  
N  
W E  
S  
S 8 6 4  
H 1 6 4 2  
CKQ873  
S 7  
H 10  
DKQ 10 8 7 6 5 3 2  
CAJ  
(Dealer: West, North-South vulnerable.)

| West | North | East | South |
|------|-------|------|-------|
| IS   | Pass  | 2H   | 4D    |
| 2H   | Pass  | 3H   | 4D    |
| 3H   | Pass  | 4D   | 5D    |
| 4D   | Pass  | Pass | Pass  |

South was pleased beyond measure when his first glimpse of the dummy showed that his pair had all three of the side aces. West led the diamond A and, to avoid helping the declarer by leading one of the other suits, repeated with the 4 to the K. Right there South planned the end-fire balance of his play. If, as seemed likely from the bidding, West had all of the spade honours higher than

## CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"The trouble with these little piggies is they've been to a bargain sale!"

## A Split Before Unity? By W. Gallagher

Berlin, Nov. 20. The creation of a new European State—Western Germany—is regarded by competent authorities as almost certain to follow any failure by the Allied Big Four Foreign Ministers to reach an agreement on Germany in the London conference opening November 25. Virtually all of the Western Military Government officials, plus three out of four Germans, expect the Council of Foreign Ministers to remain deadlocked.

Such a deadlock will leave Germany split between east and west. The American Military Government has refrained from recommending to Washington that a separate Government for Western Germany be set up in order to avoid charges of jeopardizing the London meeting.

However, it is learned authoritatively that the American Military Governor, General Lucius D. Clay, will make such a recommendation immediately, should the conference fail. It is expected that the British, seeking to shed the heavy occupation financial drain, will concur in such recommendations.

The French, with their century-old fear of German aggression and centralization, probably would oppose such a step at the present time. However, British and American sources feel that these objections should be met by a "federalized" decentralized Government structure. Strong groups in both the United States and England have already announced themselves in favour of such a step and even

of concluding peace treaties with such a separate German State.

## Rigged Government

The Russian insistence on a highly centralized German Government, rigged with "democratic front" devices, which would give the minority Communists every advantage, and high reparations demands, acts as a high price for such unity, according to Western Military Government officials.

"It looks as if we must have a split before we can achieve unity," a high American official explained. "The Russians are gambling that we shall fail economically in Western Germany. We must prove that Western Germany is a going concern. Then, perhaps, they will be convinced."

Clay and his advisers will make their recommendations, it is said, not in the belief that in the past two years Germany has reformed and become a nation of democrats and peace-loving citizens, but in the belief that the only way the Germans can learn democracy is by practicing it, and the only way Western Germany can recover is by the Germans themselves doing it.

## Indirect Control

Veteran Military Government officials believe that the occupation forces must step in to the background and exert indirect control. They point out that any German official tied closely to any occupation power's apron strings will only be accused of being a collaborator when occupation forces leave, and will be removed from office by one means or another.

Without an army and with a federalized state system, it would be difficult, if not impossible, for any one party or leader to seize power, even if the occupation forces were not here. And, the Americans expect to be in Germany for many years to come.

It is hoped that by early next year the war crimes trials, denazification and dismantling of factories will be largely finished and any German Government will not be burdened with carrying out unpopular occupation power directives. With these out of the way, any German elected body would have the primary task of making Germany self-supporting. In short, have to carry out only constructive measures.

The machinery for creating a Western German Government is already in existence in the bi-zonal Economic Council. Almost overnight it can be turned into a parliamentary body with Cabinet Ministers and an elected President. That such a step in the west would provoke violent Russian reaction is expected. Some sources feel that the Russians might take the first step by setting up a centralized Central State Government in the east, then calling for a national plebiscite on whether the Germans want a unified, socialized, centralized Government or not.

The result of this would be a face-to-face test of two economic and political systems, of the political philosophies represented by the Marshall and Molotov plans for Western and Eastern Europe. The battle would be intense and violent but American and British Military Government officials are confident of the outcome.—Associated Press.

## Tomorrow's Problem

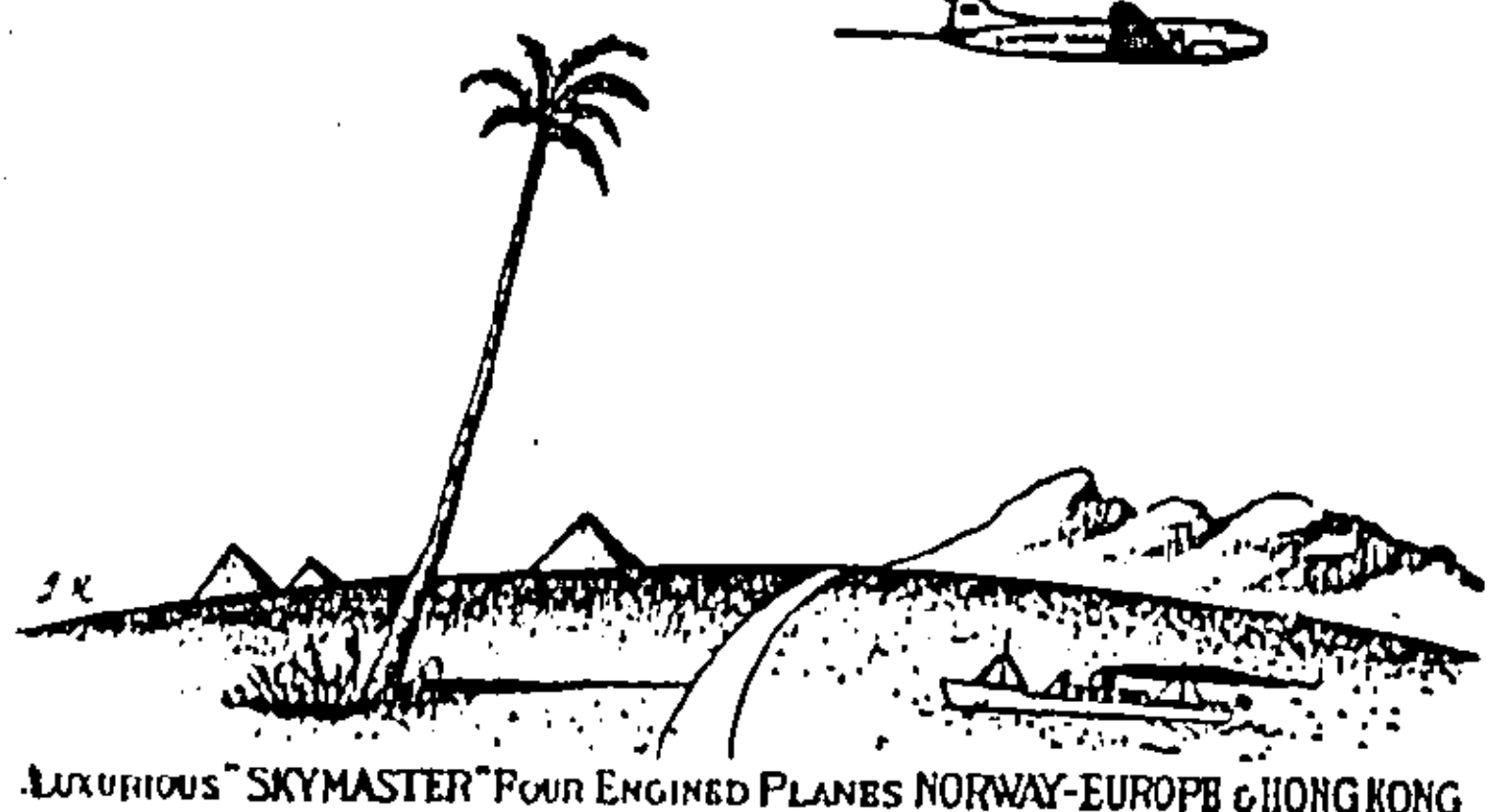
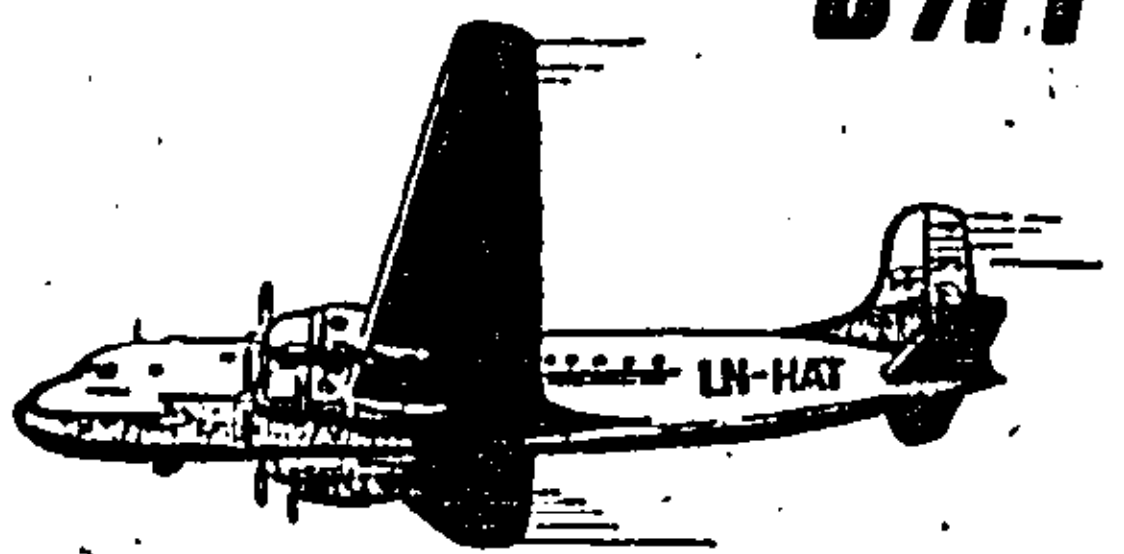
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S 9 7 6 4 2  
H 3  
CA 10 5 2  
(Dealer: North, Neither side vulnerable.)

If West had bid both hearts and clubs, then leads the spade A and K and club Q, how should South play to make his 4-Spades?



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## VOLUNTARY STERILISATION Scientists' Scheme For China And India Best Solution Of Problems?

Washington, Nov. 20.

A proposal that voluntary sterilization be adopted in China and India as the best solution for their population problems has been advanced by two social scientists here.

In a book, "Human Breeding and Survival," Guy Irving Burch and Elmer Pendell, authorities on population, state that voluntary sterilization has a "special appropriateness" in these areas, "where domestic facilities for the use of contraceptives are few."

Mr. Burch is director of the Population Reference Bureau here and Mr. Pendell is a teacher at the Baldwin Wallace College and a member of the Population Association of America.

In China, the authors said, "difficulties are in the lack of knowledge of contraception and in lack of convenience for application." They claimed the abortion rate was very high and the mortality rate likewise high, but the population nonetheless increases by four or five million persons annually. They also suggested that Puerto Rico adopt similar measures.

### Committee Approves Aid Plan

Washington, Nov. 19.

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee approved today the recommendations to provide emergency stop-gap aid to France, Italy and Austria.

The voting was 13 to nil. The Chairman, Senator Arthur Vandenberg (Republican of Michigan), told a press conference that the Committee also voted unanimously to pass a number of amendments to the Bill which had been submitted by the State Department.

One of these specified that the Act "shall not imply any obligation to give assistance to any of the countries mentioned nor shall it imply or guarantee the availability of any specific commodities." The amendment is intended to answer criticism that America's economy was in short supply with respect to many commodities outlined in the Bill.

The Administration has asked for \$597,000,000 to furnish food, seed, fertilizer, petroleum and other supplies to the three countries.

The Bill, which will be introduced to the Senate for continuing consideration, includes the amendments by the State Department. Senator Vandenberg said that he hoped the Bill would be approved by Nov. 27.

The Committee draft included a provision that no more than 75 per cent of all dollar credits granted to France, Italy and Austria could be spent in the United States—opening the way for greater dollar purchases in those countries in other markets. —Reuter.

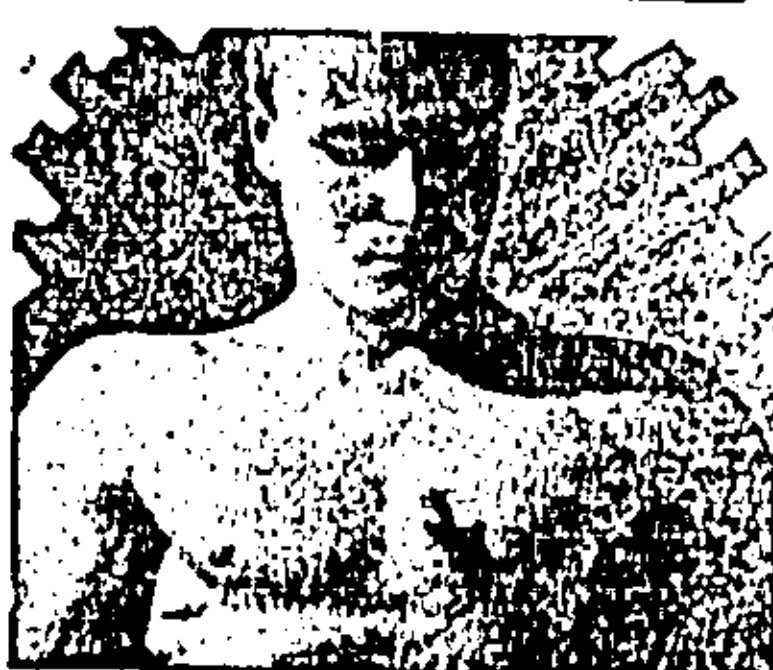
### PIPER PILOTS

Watson Lake, (British Columbia), Nov. 20.

Clifford Evans and George Truman landed their Piper Cub planes here late yesterday after a snowstorm forced them to abandon an attempt to reach Port Nelson.

The round-the-world fliers took off from Whitehorse, 300 miles to the north, bound for Port Nelson.

After landing here they said they would resume the flight down to Alaskan highway tomorrow if weather conditions permit. —United Press.



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### STORE FIRE TOLL

Christchurch, Nov. 19. Forty-one people had tonight been deposited as missing in yesterday afternoon's fire at a departmental store here.

Thirty-nine bodies have been recovered. The victims will be buried on Sunday in a mass funeral because of the difficulty of identification. —Reuter.

### Pirates Executed

NANKING, NOV. 20. ELEVEN OF A GANG OF 17 PIRATES ARRESTED BY THE POLICE FROM DIFFERENT CHINA HIDEOUTS WERE EXECUTED TODAY.

The gang have been reported most active off the Yangtze River mouth, molesting merchant ships. Their audacious acts are said to have accounted for the deaths of at least 30 persons, including one woman, who was violated, then murdered. The pirates were brought to Nanking in May of this year. Eleven of them were sentenced to death and the others sent to prison by the Military Court of the Ministry of National Defence. —Associated Press.

### German Weapons A Threat

WASHINGTON, NOV. 20. REAR-ADM. A. G. NOBLE, CHIEF OF NAVAL ORDANCE, SAID TODAY THAT NUMEROUS GERMAN WEAPONS HAVE BECOME A "POLITICAL THREAT" TO THE UNITED STATES BECAUSE THEY HAVE FALLEN INTO THE HANDS OF POWERS WITH WHICH AS YET WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO EFFECT FRIENDLY ACCORD.

Noble did not mention Russia or any other nation. Addressing 800 industrial and education research representatives reviewing the Navy's \$18,000,000 a year research program, Noble said the "powers" had obtained such weapons as V-1 and V-2 rockets, jet-propelled planes and a new type of submarine. He said that unless the United States perfects adequate defenses, these weapons would be a "severe threat to our national security." Captain D. R. Hull of the Navy Electronics Bureau said the Navy has completed work on devices for protecting its personnel from radio activity in atomic warfare. He said the devices, which he did not describe, will be distributed as soon as necessary production equipment is ready. —United Press.

### DALTON RESIGNATION: EX-CHANCELLOR EXPLAINS TO PARTY

London, Nov. 19.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, attended a Parliamentary Labour Party meeting in the House of Commons today to hear the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Hugh Dalton, give his own account of the budget leakage which led to his resignation.

The meeting lasted three hours, and it was announced that the next moves were left in the hands of the Cabinet without much discussion.

It was later learned that the Government intends to introduce a motion in Parliament for debate this week, probably tomorrow evening, calling for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the circumstances of the leak which Mr. Dalton made to the accredited Parliamentary correspondent of the London Evening Star a few minutes before he addressed the House a week ago today.

The select committee, which is a committee of inquiry drawn from members of all parties, was originally demanded by the Conservative Opposition.

The Government has now taken a step ahead of the Opposition by deciding to sponsor the motion itself. It will propose that the select committee be given a wide berth to investigate all the circumstances which it decides may be relevant.

After Mr. Dalton had addressed the Parliamentary Labour Party, the meeting unanimously passed a resolution

placing on record "its full confidence in Mr. Hugh Dalton and assuring him of the high regard in which he is held by his party colleagues." —Reuter.

### Indian Ocean Representative

Lake Success, N.Y., 20.

Mrs. Vijayalakshmi Pandit of India today announced that she is planning to present a resolution to the plenary session of the United Nations General Assembly which will give the Indian Ocean area a permanent representative in the Security Council.

Mrs. Pandit said she would introduce the motion in connection with the discussion of rules procedure in the plenary session when the article governing election of members to United Nations Councils was up for discussion.

The United States delegation is urging Mrs. Pandit to permit the resolution to be deferred for consideration by the "Little Assembly." —United Press.

### Lords Reform Parley Rejected

London, Nov. 20.

The Government today declined a suggestion to summon an all-party conference in the House of Lords to consider reforming the constitution in the Upper House.

The suggestion was made by Viscount Addison, leader of the Liberal peers.

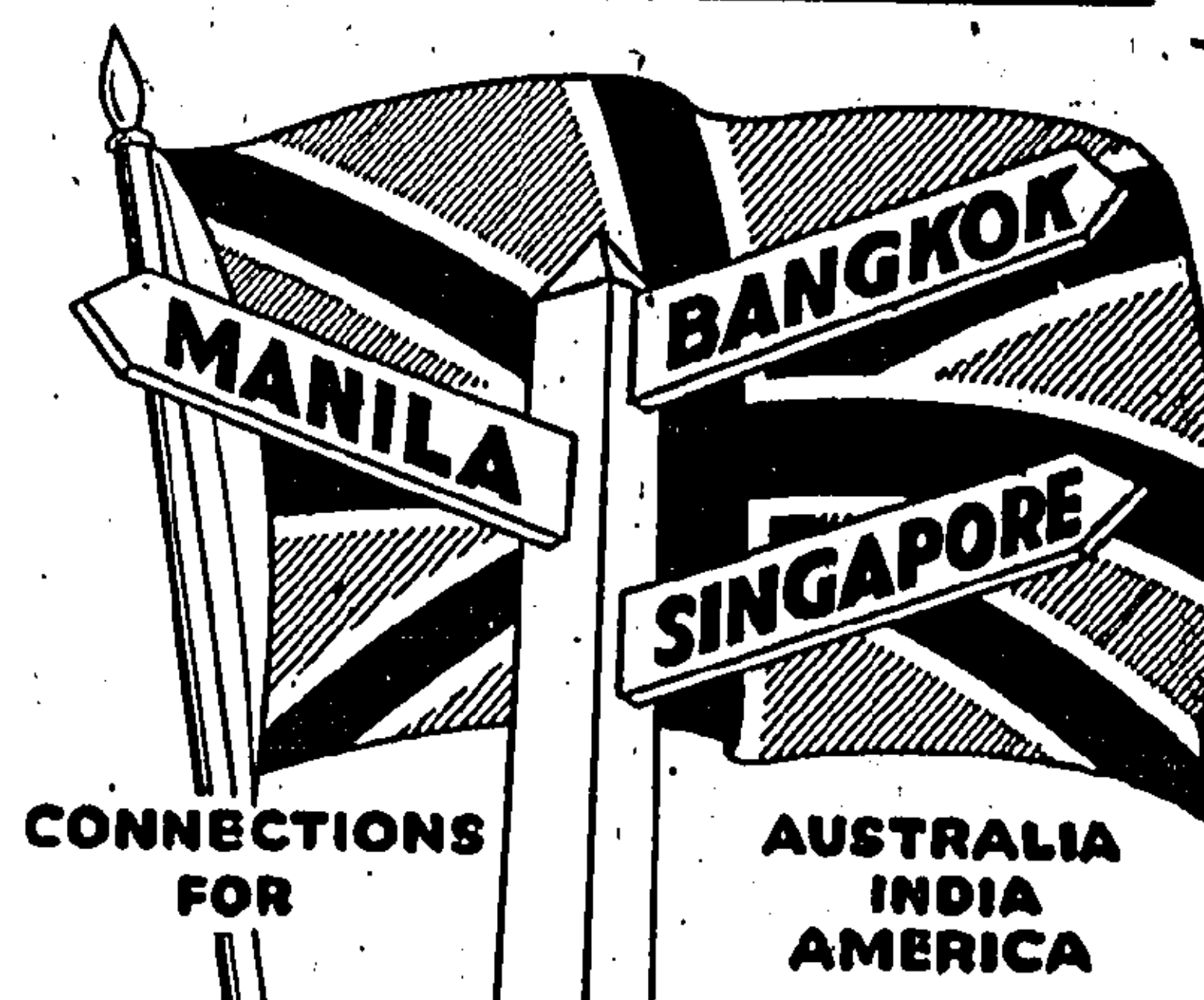
Viscount Addison, leader of the House, replied that the Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, had stated in the House of Commons that the Government would be ready to study any proposal to reform the second chamber but it was felt that this should not delay or jeopardize the bill now before the House of Commons to reduce the period of the Lord's suspensory vote.

The Government did not feel that at present they could consider the suggested conference. —Reuter.

### ROYALTY IN LONDON

London, Nov. 19. King Haakon of Norway, the Prime Minister, Mr. Attlee, and Mr. Winston Churchill were guests of honour at a dinner tonight given by the Norwegian Ambassador, Mr. P. Preben.

About 500 guests met King Frederick and Queen Ingrid of Denmark at a reception arranged by the Royal Danish Society. Princess Eugenie of Greece, Prince Fleming and Prince George of Denmark, and Princess Margaretha of Sweden, were among the guests, together with several British Cabinet Ministers. —Reuter.



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# BATTLE OF THE LONG SKIRT

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London, Nov. 20.

Britain today aimed its propaganda guns against the long skirt programme—with the blessings of the Labour Government and British designers.

Labourite magazines and newspapers opened up with a barrage of editorials, articles and photographs to prove the originator of long skirt fashions this season was a tool in a "plot of big business" against the working man's wife and daughter.

The Daily Herald, official voice of the Labour Party, described the originator as a "fashion dictator responsible neither to God nor man but only Mammon."

The influential editorial writer exploded: "It is outrageous nonsense. Longer clothes for some mean fewer clothes for all. British women should assert themselves and refuse to participate in this madness."

The Labour Herald took its cue from Sir Stafford Cripps, one of the Cabinet's "Big Five" who described the long skirt as "idiotic."

The British Guild of Creative Designers who influence fashions for the ordinary woman rather than the luxury buyer accepted Sir Stafford's plea to maintain the present skirt lengths at a saving of hundreds of thousands of yards of cloth this year of the economic crisis.

**"Grandma's Era"**  
Even such fashion couturiers as Norman Hartnell and Molyneux agreed to ban the long skirt during the crisis—and nobody expects the crisis to end this year.

The English woman's leg has thus been saved for display up to 14 inches above the ground. That was the Designer Guild's decision, which is expected to save three quarters of a yard of cloth per dress.

The Picture Post, a Labour-minded weekly magazine, devoted its cover and several pages of pictures to the long skirt, accompanied by sneering captions referring to "grandmother's era."

**Spiral Skirt**  
The Post suggested, however, that the style could be adopted in some

**Too Early To Applaud**  
New York, Nov. 20.  
The "New York Times" in an editorial today commenting on broadcasts made from Batavia and Jogjakarta by Paul von Zeeland of Belgium and Judge Richard Kirby of Australia, members of the United Nations Committee of Good Offices on the Indonesian question, cautioned that it is too early to become optimistic over their reports that progress is being made.

The editorial said, "Too often before it has seemed that a workable compromise has been just around the corner only to have one side or the other at the last minute interfere with conditions that blocked agreement. But if the United Nations committee can bring about a real ceasefire—and they say they believe it can be done—it still should be possible in the Indies to make a transition from colonialism to commonwealth or independent status, a peaceful one."—United Press.

### DAUGHTER AND SON BORN

London, Nov. 20.  
The birth of a daughter to Mrs. Betty Gray, wife of Wing-Commander Colin Gray D.S.O., is announced.

Gray in 1943 led a Royal Air Force Spitfire wing, which shot down 21 Junkers transports and five escorting Messerschmitts. He is a New Zealander.

Barbara Duff, wife of Commander D.R. Duff, has given birth to a son at Bognor. It is announced. Mrs. Duff is the only daughter of the late Admiral of the Fleet, Sir Dudley Pound.—Reuter.

London, Nov. 20.  
Lieutenant-General Gairdner, British representative in Tokyo, arrived at Poole by air today for talks with the Premier, Mr. Clement Attlee.—Reuter.



## SERVICE FAMILIES IN JAPAN

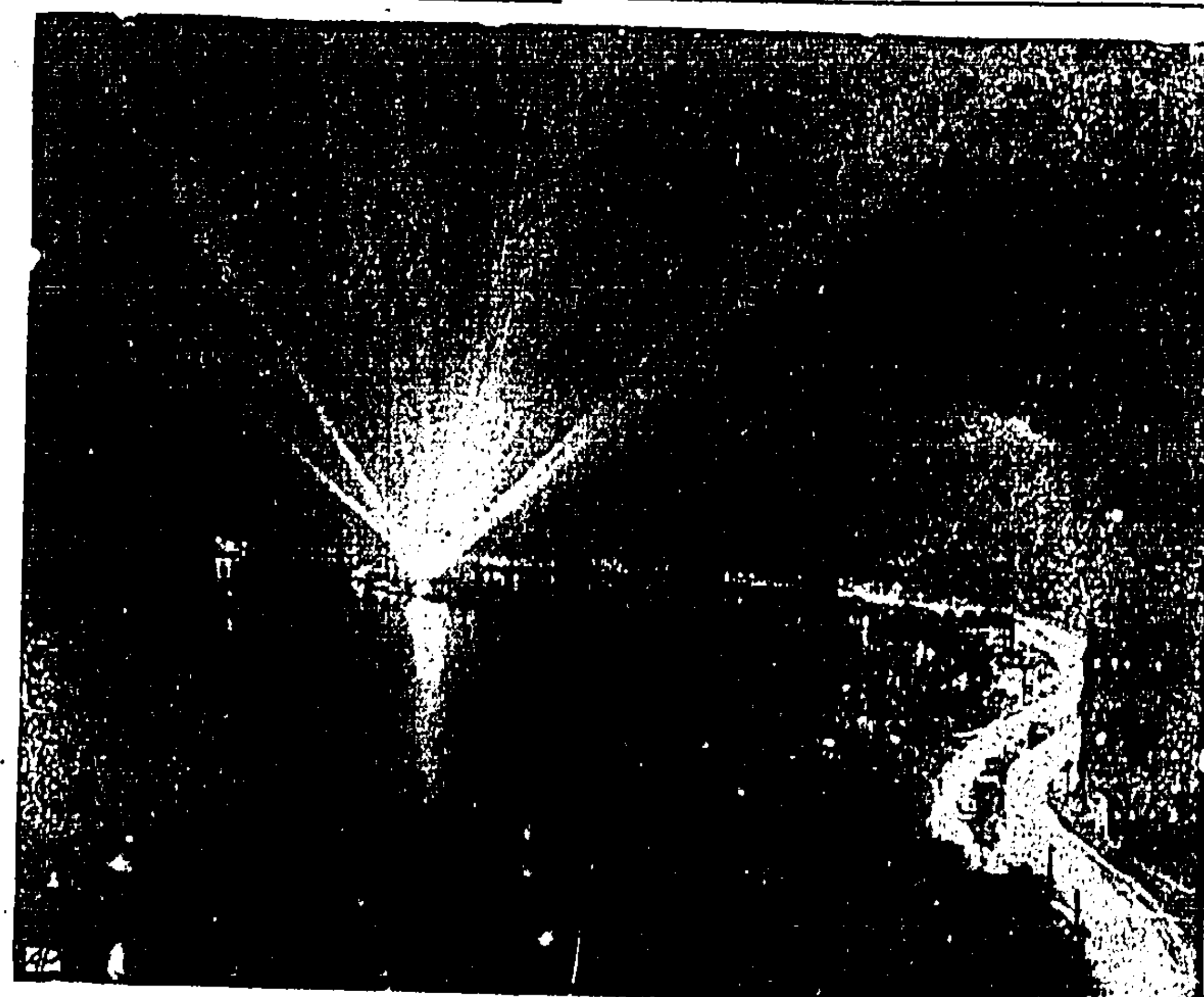
London, Nov. 19.  
When Commander Noble asked in the House of Commons today why only about three weeks warning were given to families that they would now not be able to join their husbands serving in Japan, Mr. Michael Stuart, the War Office's official secretary, replied: "The army families concerned were notified on Oct. 12, the same day as the advice was received from headquarters of the British Commonwealth Occupation Force suggesting that the despatch of any further families to Japan be deferred. I regret any inconvenience caused but would point out that only one of the army families concerned had actually been allotted passage and received instructions to embark on Nov. 6."—Reuter.

## Archbishop Yu Pin Sees Truman

Washington, Nov. 20.  
The Right Reverend Paul Yu Pin, Catholic archbishop of Nanking, called on President Harry Truman today.

The clergyman said China needs "a great deal of money" from the United States to fight inflation.

He said the Communists occupy 90 percent of Manchuria, China's "bread basket." "We are not in a cold war, but a shooting war. The Communists are equipped to the teeth." He said weapons surrendered by the Japanese in Manchuria to the Soviet have been used in arming 300,000 Communists. He made no estimate of how much financial support China needs. He described his call on Truman as a courtesy visit. —Associated Press.



SHANGHAI AT NIGHT—Searchlight show staged from U.S.S. St. Paul in the Whangpoo River at Shanghai. The Bund is at right.

## Formosan Gold "Handled Quietly"

Los Angeles, Nov. 20.  
Col. Cecil J. Gridley today testified that Lt.-Col. William K. Evans never reported on the Formosan gold which he was supposed to turn over to the Chinese after the Japanese surrender.

Evans, a Santa Barbara manufacturer, is on trial before Federal Judge Pierson M. Hall on charges of stealing US\$106,000 of gold bullion cashed by the Japanese on Formosa.

Evans, a civil affairs officer, was sent to Formosa by Gridley. When Gridley went to Formosa, Evans told him there was "considerable Japanese gold on the island and that he was making arrangements for its transfer from the Japanese to the Chinese," Gridley testified.

"Evans also said because of the Chinese failure to declare it at the time of taking over, there was considerable embarrassment attached to the handling of this matter and he was handling it very quietly."

Witness added that Evans never submitted any report on the gold transfer.

A Chinese intermediary, who allegedly helped Evans convert

## Illegal Jew Ships Forced To Put Back

Istanbul, Nov. 20.  
Two suspected Jewish immigrant ships, Pan Oak and Pan Crescent, previously reported to have sailed for Palestine from the Rumanian Black Sea port of Constantza with 10,000 passengers, did not appear at the entrance of the Bosphorus Strait today as had been expected.

Crews of sailing boats coming from Black Sea ports reported that the ships, after anchoring at Varna, Bulgaria, were compelled to put back to Constantza because the shelters erected on deck and other accommodation for surplus passengers had proved inadequate.—Reuter.

## CUTCH FORMS GOVERNMENT

Bombay, Nov. 20.  
The newspaper "National Standard" for the state of Cutch has been formed at Karachi, capital of Pakistan.

Cutch borders Pakistan's Sind province on the north. Cutch has joined the Dominion of India. It has a Hindu ruler and a Hindu majority. Its population is some 500,000 and its area about 9,000 square miles.—Associated Press.

## Gandhi's Warning

New Delhi, Nov. 20.  
Mahatma Gandhi on Monday night declared that the dispute over the treatment of Indians in South Africa might cause the Indian Dominion to leave the Commonwealth. He said that colour prejudice in South Africa was "either wrong from every point of view, or the British people have made an unpardonable mistake in admitting Asiatic countries as members of the Commonwealth." Gandhi was speaking at the daily prayer meeting.—United Press.

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Through numbers (7 races—\$14) may be obtained at the Office of the Treasurers, 1st Floor, Exchange Building also tickets for the Special Cash Sweep on the last race as well as those for the "Hong Kong Derby" to be run at the Annual Race Meeting in January 1948. The latter may also be purchased at the Club Branch Office, No. 382 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

**MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE.**

Members are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges PROMINENTLY DISPLAYED throughout the Meeting.

**NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE**

Badges admitting non-members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10 including tax are obtainable at the Office of the Secretary on the written or personal introduction of a member, such member to be responsible for all chits etc.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the RACE COURSE.

The Treasurers' Comptroller Office will close at 11 a.m. and the Secretary's Office at 12.00 noon. Both Offices at 1st Floor, Exchange Building.

A limited number of tickets will be obtainable at the Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 27818).

**NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.**

**PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.**

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3 including tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

Bookmakers, Tie Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Refreshments will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the Public Enclosure.

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# DEMOCRATIC REVOLT

## Congressmen Cross Party Line

### Anti-Inflation Programme

Washington, Nov. 20.

A threat to the long range European recovery programme developed in the United States Congress today when a considerable number of Democratic members crossed the party line to form a solid bloc with the Republicans in opposition to President Truman's anti-inflation programme.

Mr. Truman, with his proposals for the return to price control and rationing, appears in the past 24 hours to have shifted the main emphasis in the present special session of Congress from foreign to domestic affairs and to have reduced the sense of urgency previously attached to the former issue.

The President also seems to have evoked new allegations that the vast American relief exports were one, if not the main, cause of inflation and to have rallied supporters to Senator Robert Taft's claim that the Marshall Plan was a must, at the very least, be no bigger than the present overseas expenditure.

Mr. Truman appears in addition to have created an atmosphere of bitter political partisanship over what is likely to prove the key issue of the 1948 Presidential election.

President Truman will send a message to Congress on the long-range self-help recovery plan to Europe within ten days or two weeks, Mr. Charles Ross, the White House press secretary, told reporters today.

#### Congress Bank

Experienced observers thought Congress would back President Truman on many points of his programme to prevent inflation resulting from top-say aid to Europe, but considered that Congressmen would balk at price control and rationing.

Opinion is divided between denouncing President Truman's plan as "totalitarianism" and

"police state methods" and praise for the President's message as "by almost any test a genuinely commendable effort."

Senator Robert Taft, leading candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination, said that President Truman's programme meant the "setting up of a Federal Bureau with literally hundreds of thousands of employees and agents prying in to the daily lives of the people."

He said that it was a "step to a completely totalitarian nation."

Prices, he said, could be held down in the United States by a reduction of Government spending, a decrease in taxation, limitation of exports and restriction of the Marshall plan to "a reasonable figure."

#### Press Criticism

The President's proposals to curb inflation in the United States were "not so much a programme for America as a programme to level us down to a scale of standards of nations that are begging our capitalist help," the "New York Daily Mirror" declared today.

The "New York Daily News" asked "how enthusiastic for police state methods are Americans going to be when they realise that they are enduring these griefs not for some future benefit of their own but for the benefit of a lot of Europeans and Asiatics?"

The "New York Times" said that "it is hoped we will be spared the anguish of those who raise the spectre of totalitarianism whenever the

Government attempts to handle an emergency with emergency measures.

"The President's address was by almost any test a genuinely commendable effort," Mr. Joseph Martin, Speaker of the House of Representatives, indicated, after conferring with leading Republicans, that the Truman programme had little chance of enactment in the special session.

European diplomatic quarters welcomed the President's speech enthusiastically, especially for its evidence of earnest appreciation in the White House of what a long-range European recovery programme would entail.

The only fear expressed was that Congressional consideration of the Marshall plan should be some entanglement in a fight that may develop over the domestic controls issue.—Reuter.

#### Ten Proposals

Washington, Nov. 20.

Here are President Truman's ten proposals for reducing the cost of living and the present outlook for approval by Congress:

1. Restoration of consumer credit controls and restraint on creation of inflationary bank credit—outlook good.
2. Regulation of speculative trading on commodity exchanges—outlook doubtful.
3. Extension and strengthening of export controls—good.
4. Extension of authority to allocate transportation facilities and equipment—good.
5. Authorization of measures to persuade growers to market livestock and poultry at weights approved by government—doubtful.
6. Expansion of government-fostered agricultural conservation practices at home and measures to induce increased food production abroad—doubtful.
7. Allocation and inventory control of scarce basic commodities—doubtful.
8. Extension and strengthening of rent control—good.
9. Authorization of consumer rationing on basic products in short supply—poor.
10. Authorization of price ceilings and wage ceilings—poor.—United Press.



The last public function at which Princess Elizabeth was seen before her wedding yesterday was the ceremony at the Cenotaph on Remembrance Day. At left above is the general scene in Whitehall during the impressive service. On right Her Royal Highness is laying a wreath at the base of the memorial.—(AP Photos).

## THE PACIFIC FLEET: HUSH-HUSH IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

London, Nov. 19.

The Government declined to be drawn into giving details of the British Pacific Fleet at question time in the House of Commons today.

The Financial Secretary to the Treasury, Mr. John Dugdale, said that he was unable to give information asked for when Commander Noble, Conservative, asked for the size of the Pacific Fleet and how many ships were now in or east of Singapore.

When Commander Noble said that there could really be no secret about this and asked if the strength of the Pacific Fleet was two cruisers and eight destroyers, Mr. Dugdale

## BRITONS RESCUED

St. John's, Newfoundland, Nov. 19.

Forty-one survivors of the crew of the wrecked British freighter Langfear Crax were tonight on board the whaler Olaf Olsen after being marooned four nights on Sacred Island off the north coast of Newfoundland.

All the survivors were reported to be well after their dramatic rescue.

Two members of the crew were drowned when the ship was stranded on the rocks last Saturday.—Reuter.

## "Queen Mary" Battered

Southampton, Nov. 20.

Delayed by violent Atlantic storms, the Cunard liner Queen Mary docked here today 12 hours late with 1,525 passengers including film stars Bob Hope, Robert Montgomery, Loretta Young and Alexis Smith.

Commodore C. G. Illingsworth said: "I have never known such a heavy weather passage for an east bound trip in November."

The liner escaped with a smashed port hole. A woman passenger injured her wrist and some crockery was broken.—Associated Press.

## U.S. TANKER DELIVERIES

Washington, Nov. 20.

Maritime Commission officials today insisted they were legally bound to deliver 60 tankers to foreigners because the commitment was made before domestic firms sought the vessels.

"Until the Attorney General tells us our own general counsel is wrong, we are committed to our prior decision," said Raymond McCough, the vice-chairman.—United Press.

## WAR RISK DEMAND

Honolulu, Nov. 20.

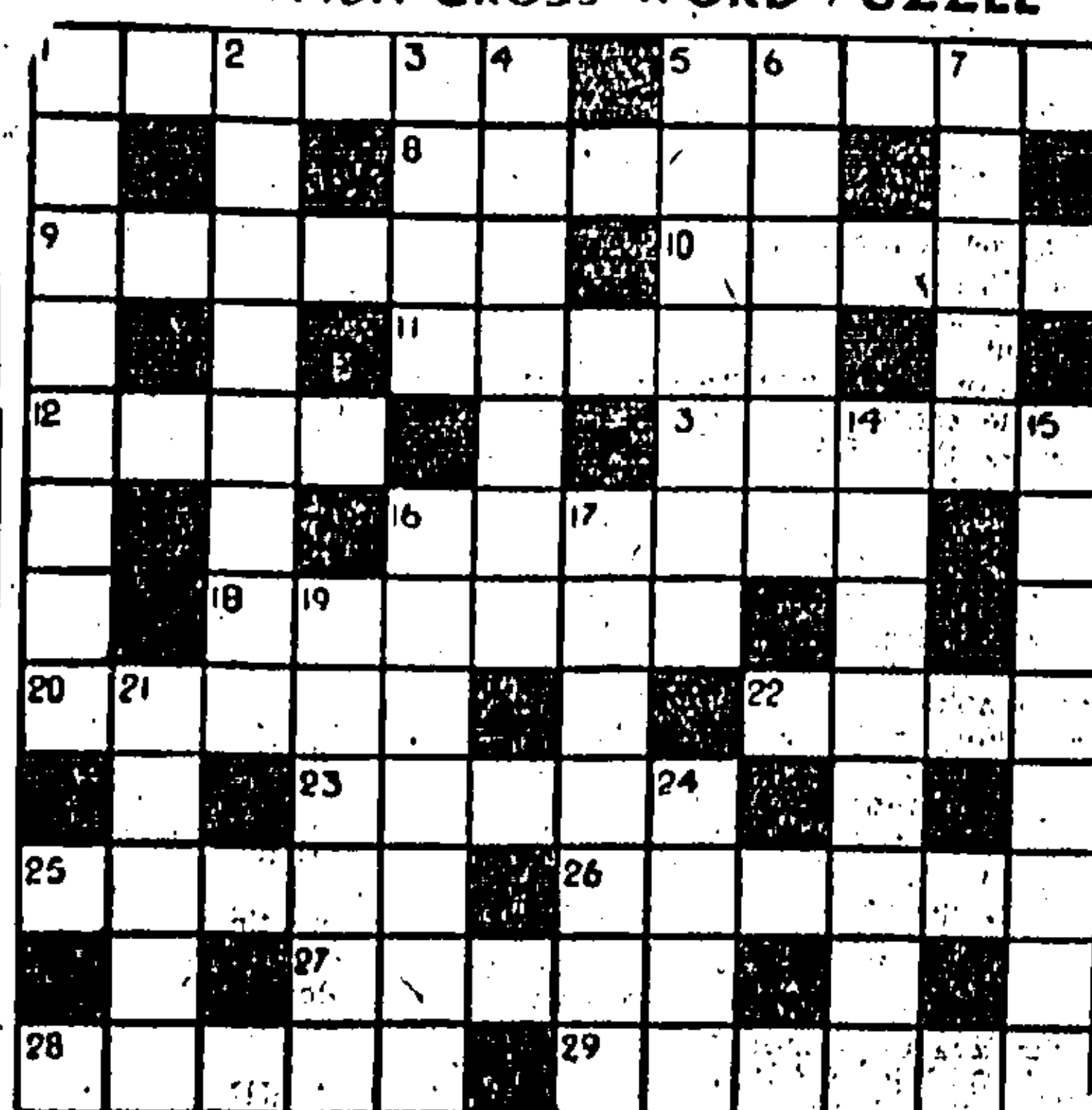
Merchant Marine cooks and stewards of the Congress of Industrial Organizations Union asked today for restoration of war risk compensation and insurance because of recent appearances of drifting Japanese mines in Hawaiian waters.

Such mines also have been reported in coastal waters of the North-west United States.—Associated Press.

London, Nov. 19.

It was reported from Glamorgan-shire that five miners fainting during the showing of the film, "The Birth of a Baby," at Maesteg. One was a grandfather.—Reuter.

## A BRITISH CROSS WORD PUZZLE



### Clues Across

1. Stringed instrument.
2. Parcel out.
3. Pluck.
4. Attack.
5. Keen.
6. Landowner.
7. Chinese.
8. Concise.
9. Calmly.
10. Stopped.
11. 22. Uninteresting.
12. Financial check.
13. 25. Make do.
14. 26. Empty.
15. 27. Drain.
16. 28. Worked diligently.
17. 29. Scatters.

### Clues Down

1. Seizes equal.
2. Example.
3. Dyed plant.
4. Tells.
5. Warded off.
6. Heavy.
7. Lays bare.
8. Control.
9. Strives to.
10. Avid.
11. Spur.
12. Debar.
13. Note.
14. Down—1. Sheer.
15. 2. Dropped.
16. Agree.
17. 5. Myth.
18. 6. Glee.
19. 7. Tend.
20. 8. Tired.
21. 9. Emul.
22. 10. Duly.
23. 11. Debut.
24. 12. Step.
25. 13. Hale.
26. 14. Deities.
27. 15. Amid.
28. 16. Epics.
29. 17. Rural.
30. 18. Rapt.
31. 19. Yarn.

## Yesterday's Crossword

- Across—3. Calm, 7. Shirk, 8. Yolk, 9. Trol, 10. Devotee, 12. Heed, 15. Pined, 18. Herd, 19. Edict, 21. Trade, 22. Abet, 23. Demure, 26. Frey, 29.

## HONG KONG 'SUNDAY HERALD'

Photographic Competition!

The "Hong Kong Sunday Herald" takes pleasure in offering prizes totalling \$1,000 in a photographic competition to be held during the months of October and November.

### RULES OF THE COMPETITION

The rules of the competition are as follows:

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2. Pictures entered must have been taken by the entrant, who will nominate the Section, and must not have been entered in any other Competition.
3. No print or enlargement more than 10 inches in the longest dimension will be accepted.
4. The competition will be divided into the following Sections:

- A. Portraits and People
- B. Land or Seascapes
- C. Action Pictures
- D. Animals and Pets
- E. For Children Only (Age limit 15 years).

5. The competition will run for a period of nine weeks commencing with the week ending October 4, and terminating during the week ending November 21, and the Newspaper Enterprise Limited will award monthly prizes of \$50, \$25, and \$10. On completion of the term of the competition, prizes of \$25, \$25 and \$10 will be awarded in each Section. The three best pictures entered will be awarded the Grand Prizes of \$250, \$100, and \$50.

6. All photographs submitted must be available for reproduction in any of the publications of Newspaper Enterprise Limited, and must be accompanied by the attached coupon, undertaking that any prize-winning picture or a closely similar picture of the same subject or situation, has not been and will not be entered in any other newspaper contest in this Colony, the copyright for publication in Hong Kong of all prize-winning pictures, to belong to the "Sunday Herald".

7. The decisions of the Judges (to be announced later) in the Monthly and Section Prizes to be final.

8. Judging of the three Grand Prizes to be chosen by popular vote, following an exhibition to be held in December.

Entries will be published in the pictorial magazine section of the "Sunday Herald" each week during the course of the competition, and it is proposed to award

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- C. Action Pictures
- D. Animals and Pets
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| "STRATHNAVER" | U.K. & Straits               | 7th Dec.  |
| "ORNAKA"      | Singapore                    | 10th Dec. |
| "TREVORSE"    | Shanghai                     | 10th Dec. |
| "SOCOTRA"     | Kobe                         | 15th Dec. |
| "RUBY STONE"  | Japan                        | 15th Dec. |
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| "FURNEA"      | Bombay via Straits & Colombo                                       | 30th Nov. |
| "STRATHNAVER" | Japan                                                              | 8th Dec.  |
| "TREVORSE"    | Genoa-London, Antwerp, Rotterdam (Amsterdam) via Straits & Colombo | 13th Dec. |
| "SOCOTRA"     | Genoa, London, Antwerp, Rotterdam (Amsterdam) via Straits          | 15th Dec. |
| "RUBY STONE"  | Bombay via Straits                                                 | 16th Dec. |
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MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.  
Telephone Nos. 27721-4.

## WATERMAN

STEAMSHIP CORPORATION

MOBILE, ALA., U.S.A.

Expected arrivals from U.S. Atlantic Ports:—

- S.S. "JOHN B. WATERMAN" ..... Due 28th November.  
S.S. "JEAN LAFITTE" ..... " 14th December.  
S.S. "ANDREW JACKSON" ..... " mid-December.  
S.S. "FAIRPORT" ..... " end December.

Loading for New York via Panama

- S.S. "JOHN B. WATERMAN" ..... end November

For freight and further particulars apply:—

WALLEN &amp; COMPANY

Agents.

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Bldg. Tel. 34177-9  
Chinese Freight Agents:  
HIN FAT & CO., LTD.  
Tel: 25553, 28823 & 23483.

## IVARAN LINES FAR EAST SERVICE

Expected arrivals from U.S. ATLANTIC PORTS:

- m.v. "IVARAN" ..... expected arrive 15th December.

Loading for U.S. ATLANTIC PORTS via PANAMA:—

- m.v. "IVARAN" ..... about 17th December.

For freight &amp; further particulars apply:—

WALLEN &amp; COMPANY

Agents.

Chinese Freight Agents:  
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Tel: 25553, 28823 & 23483.



# JAVA-CHINA-PAKETVAART. LUNEN N.V.

(JAVA-CHINA-PACKET LINES Ltd.)

King's Building Connaught Road,  
Tel: Shipping Dept. 28016, Passage Dept. 28017.  
Chinese Agents, Connaught Road, C. No. 82, Tel. 25133.  
"TJITJALENGKA" In port  
Sailing for  
Java ports and  
Macassar  
24th November

"TJISADANE" Due from  
Macassar and  
Java ports, via  
Amoy  
24th November  
Sailing for  
Shanghai  
26th November

"TJIMENTENG" Java  
23rd November  
Japan  
24th November

## ORIENT-JAVA-AFRICA LINE SOUTH-ATLANTIC LINE

"STRAAT  
MALAKKA" Due from  
South Africa  
10th Dec.  
Loading for  
Manila, Singapore,  
Mauritius,  
Lourenco  
Marques, Belra,  
Darban, East London,  
Port Elizabeth,  
Mosselbay, Capetown,  
Buenos Aires, Monte-  
video, Santos, Rio  
de Janeiro.  
Sailing about 30th Dec.  
Transshipment cargo on through bill of lading accepted for  
Dae-Ex-Saltam, Mombasa & Zanzibar.

"STRAAT  
SOENDA" South America,  
South Africa  
14th Jan. 1948  
South Africa  
end Jan. 1948.

## DELI-STRAITS-CHINA LINE

"VAN HEUTSZ" Due from  
Belawan Deli,  
Penang, Singapore  
7th Dec.  
Sailing for  
Swatow  
& Amoy  
9th Dec.

"HEINRICH  
JESSEN" Amoy & Swatow  
21st Nov.  
Singapore, Penang  
& Belawan Deli,  
22nd Nov.

## Agents HOLLAND-EAST ASIA LINE

"BREDERO" In port  
Sailing for  
Shanghai &  
Japan  
22nd Nov.  
Loading for  
Manila/Singapore/  
Colombo/Port Said/  
Halla (direct)  
Genoa/Marseilles/  
Antwerp/Rotterdam/  
Amsterdam/Hamburg/  
Copenhagen/Göteborg/  
second half Dec.

"ALPIERAT" In Port  
Loading for  
Manila/Singapore/  
Colombo/P. Said/Halla  
Genoa/Marseilles/  
Antwerp/Rotterdam/  
Amsterdam/Hamburg/  
Copenhagen/Göteborg/  
late December.

"LEOPOLDSKERK" Due from  
Europe  
end of Dec.  
Sailing for  
Shanghai &  
Japan  
Loading for  
Manila/Singapore/  
Colombo/P. Said/Halla  
Genoa/Marseilles/  
Antwerp/Rotterdam/  
Amsterdam/Hamburg/  
Copenhagen/Göteborg/  
late December.

## Agents SILVER LINE LTD.

"SILVEROAK" Due from  
U.S. Atlantic  
ports, second half  
December  
Sailing for  
U.S. Atlantic  
Coast via Suez,  
December

# DE LA RAMA LINES

EXPRESS CARGO LINER SERVICES

TO AND FROM PACIFIC & ATLANTIC COASTS

## U.S.A. LOADING DATES

| Ports          | Date       | Vessel           |
|----------------|------------|------------------|
| Atlantic Coast | Early Dec. | m.v. "ANDAMAN"   |
| Los Angeles    | Late Dec.  | m.v. "DONA NATI" |

## ARRIVALS

| From           | Date      | Vessel             |
|----------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Pacific Coast  | Late Dec. | m.v. "MANGALORE"   |
| Atlantic Coast | Mid Jan.  | s.s. "DONA AURORA" |
| Los Angeles    | February  | m.v. "ANDAMAN"     |

## SAILINGS

| For            | Date     | Vessel             |
|----------------|----------|--------------------|
| Atlantic Coast | Mid Jan. | s.s. "DONA AURORA" |
| Los Angeles    | February | m.v. "ANDAMAN"     |

## BOOKING AGENTS for P.A.L.

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Feeder Building  
Tel: 23076-23075  
Chinese Shipping Office  
Tel: 23738-20153

# MOW SANG LUEN KEE SHIPPING CO.

3 Connaught Road, West. Tel. No. 31505

## HONG KONG & CANTON LINE

H.K. Departures: CANTON Departures:  
(Local Time)  
S.S. "KWONG TUNG" Nov. 21, 12 m.m. Nov. 21, 8 a.m.  
S.S. "KWONG FOOK CHEUNG" Nov. 21, 11 p.m. Nov. 21, 10 p.m.

## HONGKONG & MACAO LINE

S.S. "KWONG SAI" H.K. Departures: 5 P.M. MACAO Departures: 10 A.M.  
Subject to alteration without notice.  
For Freight & Particulars Please Apply To The Above

# OFFER OF GOLD PREMIUM Canada Tackling Dollar Shortage

London, Nov. 20.

Too much should not be read into the 20 per cent premium which the Canadian Government is now offering for extra gold output. The fact remains that the Canadian Government is offering for this extra gold at the same price as would be caused by a 17 per cent devaluation of the Canadian dollar.

Bidding higher prices for gold is generally regarded as almost identical with devaluation and as such it is forbidden by the International Monetary Fund, Canada would of course argue that she is paying it only selectively as a subsidy for extra output and not for gold in general.

Nevertheless, this method of tackling the dollar shortage will cause the raising of some eyebrows. The devaluation of the Canadian dollar is frequently discussed and invariably denied—the latest official denial was yesterday—whereas any discussion of sterling devaluation is taboo.

Undoubtedly, Canada is a special case and diametrically different from Britain in one respect: her huge land frontier makes physical control of imports uniquely difficult, whereas in Britain where all imports enter a handful of ports, it is uniquely easy.

Although the Canadian dollar is very strong against sterling, even the devaluation of the Canadian dollar thus would not necessarily be significant for other currencies. On the other hand, Canada's dollar shortage which has entailed this gold premium is not special but a general world-wide case, which has rapidly depleted her dollar reserve, and is really an aspect of Britain's dollar problem.

Traditionally Canada buys from the United States and sells to Britain and relies on converting sterling into U.S. dollars which at present is impracticable.

At present, Britain is paying Canada 50% in U.S. dollars and 50% from the Canadian loan and the latter is becoming almost an insupportable burden for Canada. Beyond any word spinning, however, here is a clear case where, not in a country with one of the weakest but on the contrary one of the strongest currencies, the dollar shortage—though it has not entailed devaluation—has entailed a gold price of \$42 an ounce. —Reuter.

## BANK OF AMERICA IN TOKYO

San Francisco, Nov. 19.

The Bank of America today announced the opening of a branch in Tokyo. Y. J. Johnson, long experienced in Far Eastern banking, is branch manager.

Winthrop E. Davis, an American teller, has been transferred from the Manila branch to Tokyo. Ten Japanese are on the staff. The branch is in the Yaezu Building. Associated Press.

## Notice To Consignees

S.S. "STENTOR"

Damaged cargo ex the above vessel will be surveyed at Holt's Wharf between the hours 10 a.m. to 12 noon on 24th November, 1947, and consignees representatives are requested to be present during the survey.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.  
Agents.

Hongkong, 21st November, 1947.

## Notice To Consignees

WATERMAN STEAMSHIP CORPORATION, MOBILE, Ala.

S.S. "MAIDEN CREEK"

Having arrived Hong Kong consignees of cargo are hereby notified that all goods have been landed and placed at their risk and expense into the godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. where delivery may be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the godowns.

All broken, chafed and damaged goods are to be left in the godown where they will be examined in the presence of Messrs. Goddard and Douglas on the 21st & 22nd Nov., 1947, at 10 a.m.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when examining damaged dutiable goods. All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned within fourteen days of the ship's arrival, or they will not be recognised.

No fire insurance will be effected.

WALLEN & CO.

Agents,

Telephone 34177-9.

## H.K. Stock Exchange

Buyers were more in evidence yesterday and as a consequence some counters

H.K. Govt. Loan, 4% Loan 1970: 25 1/2, Loan 1975: 25 1/2, Loan 1980: 25 1/2, Loan 1985: 25 1/2, Loan 1990: 25 1/2, Loan 1995: 25 1/2, Loan 2000: 25 1/2, Loan 2005: 25 1/2, Loan 2010: 25 1/2, Loan 2015: 25 1/2, Loan 2020: 25 1/2, Loan 2025: 25 1/2, Loan 2030: 25 1/2, Loan 2035: 25 1/2, Loan 2040: 25 1/2, Loan 2045: 25 1/2, Loan 2050: 25 1/2, Loan 2055: 25 1/2, Loan 2060: 25 1/2, Loan 2065: 25 1/2, Loan 2070: 25 1/2, Loan 2075: 25 1/2, Loan 2080: 25 1/2, Loan 2085: 25 1/2, Loan 2090: 25 1/2, Loan 2095: 25 1/2, Loan 2100: 25 1/2, Loan 2105: 25 1/2, Loan 2110: 25 1/2, Loan 2115: 25 1/2, Loan 2120: 25 1/2, Loan 2125: 25 1/2, Loan 2130: 25 1/2, Loan 2135: 25 1/2, Loan 2140: 25 1/2, Loan 2145: 25 1/2, Loan 2150: 25 1/2, Loan 2155: 25 1/2, Loan 2160: 25 1/2, Loan 2165: 25 1/2, Loan 2170: 25 1/2, Loan 2175: 25 1/2, Loan 2180: 25 1/2, Loan 2185: 25 1/2, Loan 2190: 25 1/2, Loan 2195: 25 1/2, Loan 2200: 25 1/2, Loan 2205: 25 1/2, Loan 2210: 25 1/2, Loan 2215: 25 1/2, Loan 2220: 25 1/2, Loan 2225: 25 1/2, 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**MESSAGERIES MARITIMES**

**Arriving from EUROPE via Ports**

S.S. "ANDRE LEBON" Beginning January

S.S. "CHRISTIAN SASS" Beginning January

**Sailing for TUNIS, MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, HAVRE, and ROTTERDAM**

S.S. "GEORGE M. EMBRICOS" on/or about 3rd December

**Sailing to EUROPE via Ports**

S.S. "ANDRE LEBON" Middle January

**Sailing to SAIGON**

M.V. "MICKEY" on/or about 24th November

M.V. "FANNY" on/or about 24th November

S.S. "CANPUCHIA" on/or about 25th November

**Sailing for HAIPHONG**

S.S. "YERSIN" Beginning December

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Agents: CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

**SAILINGS TO**

|             |                                          |                   |
|-------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| "SINKIANG"  | Swatow, Saigon & Bangkok                 | 3 p.m. 21st Nov.  |
| "HUPEH"     | Amoy, Fuzhou, Shanghai & Canton          | 6 p.m. 22nd Nov.  |
| "TSINAN"    | Swatow                                   | 3 p.m. 23rd Nov.  |
| "NANCHANG"  | Bangkok                                  | D.L. 23rd Nov.    |
| "FUKIEN"    | Shanghai                                 | D.L. 24th Nov.    |
| "FENGTIEN"  | Singapore, Batavia, Sourabaya & Macassar | D.L. 27th Nov.    |
| "SIANTUNG"  | Haiphong, Pakhoi, Hong Kong & Tsim Sha   | 10 a.m. 27th Nov. |
| "SHENGKING" | Shanghai                                 | 4 p.m. 27th Nov.  |
| "POYANG"    | Yokohama & Kobe                          | 4 p.m. 10th Dec.  |

Sails from Custodian Wharf

**ARRIVALS FROM**

|             |                                        |                  |
|-------------|----------------------------------------|------------------|
| "TSINAN"    | Swatow                                 | a.m. 22nd Nov.   |
| "SIANTUNG"  | Haiphong, Pakhoi, Hong Kong & Tsim Sha | 23rd Nov.        |
| "FENGTIEN"  | Shanghai & Keelung                     | 24th Nov.        |
| "SHENGKING" | Shanghai                               | 7 a.m. 26th Nov. |

**CANTON RIVER LINE**

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| Pool & Bangkok:      | Nov. 20, BOAC, (Capt. Rudd)     | 3 p.m.     |
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| Singapore & Bangkok: |                                 |            |
|                      | Nov. 21, BOAC, (Capt. Field),   | 3.10 p.m.  |
|                      | Nov. 23, CPA, 3 p.m.            |            |
|                      | Nov. 26, CPA, 3 p.m.            |            |
| Singapore:           | Nov. 21, BOAC, (Capt. Field),   | 4.15 p.m.  |
| Saigon:              | Nov. 21, Air France, 2.45 p.m.  |            |
| Manila:              | Nov. 21, CPA, 12 noon.          |            |
| Shanghai:            | Nov. 21, CNAC (DC4),            | 11.45 a.m. |
|                      | Nov. 21, CNAC, (DC4),           | 11.45 a.m. |
|                      | Nov. 22, CNAC, (DC4),           | 11.45 a.m. |

**DEPARTURES TO**

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| <i>Pool &amp; Bangkok</i>              |  |
| Nov. 22, BOAC, (Capt. Needham), 8 a.m. |  |
| Nov. 20, BOAC, (Capt. Field), 3 a.m.   |  |
| <i>London &amp; Singapore:</i>         |  |
| Nov. 21, CPA, 7 a.m.                   |  |
| Nov. 21, BOAC, (Capt. Kyle), 3 a.m.    |  |
| Nov. 24, BOAC, (Capt. Kyle), 3 a.m.    |  |
| <i>Shanghai:</i>                       |  |
| Nov. 22, BOAC, (Capt. Field), 3 a.m.   |  |
| <i>Yokohama:</i>                       |  |
| Nov. 22, Air France, 8 a.m.            |  |
| <i>Manila:</i>                         |  |
| Nov. 24, CPA, 1 p.m.                   |  |
| <i>Changhai:</i>                       |  |
| Nov. 21, CNAC, (DC4), 12.45 p.m.       |  |
| Nov. 22, UNAC, (DC4), 12.45 p.m.       |  |

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## The Courts From Day To Day

### Two Tailors Appear In Menaces Case

Two tailors appeared before Mr. P. S. d'Almeida at Central Magistrate's yesterday as complainant and defendant in a case of allegedly demanding money with menaces.

Defendant, Ng Chuek Pang, alias James Woo, 28, tailor, was remanded for a week with two others, charged with aiding and abetting, Ho Yul, 29, and Ng Wai Kwong, 28.

Complainant, C. T. Woo, in evidence said he had no fear of competition from first defendant. Both supplied the officers of American ship with drill suits. He did not know why defendant had asked him for \$500 "ten money".

Mr. Ho Shing Lo, for first defendant, said he thought the story was made up as the two tailors could not agree on the prices to be charged. There had been some trouble with the captain of one ship who thought \$500 was too much for a suit.

Mr. d'Almeida: I think the suits extremely cheap. I wish I knew where I could get my suits made at that price.

### Mother, Son, Two Cousins In Hold-Up Case

A mother and son and two cousins were victims of two separate hold-ups by Li Kam-tong and Tsui Wai-shing, who "bagged" altogether four gold rings, three wrist-watches and \$18 cash.

Tam Kim (31), of 28 Main St., and his cousin, Miss Tam Fui-chun (22), of 86 Ta Nam St., told Mr. Blair-Kerr yesterday at Kowloon that they were held up by defendants on October 22 as they were strolling on a hillside at Tai Po Road.

Defendants, it was alleged, took their wrist-watches, one gold ring from Miss Tam and \$18 cash from Tam.

Chan Mui (31), married woman, of 188 Portland Road, said in evidence that when she and her son on November 7 were held up at the "Pak Pui" (100 Steps), Tai Po Road.

Her son, Leung, fought with first defendant, while second defendant took her three rings and wrist-watch. Leung was pushed down the hill, and both accused escaped, Chan added.

The case was adjourned to today.

### FEMALE UNDERWEAR UNDER HIS OWN

Convicted on a charge of unlawful possession of a suit of female clothing, Lai On, 30-year-old unemployed, was ordered to be expelled by Mr. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday. The clothing was confiscated.

Inspector Howarth, prosecuting said that defendant was found in an alley in the early hours of Wednesday morning wearing female clothing underneath his own.

### SMUGGLED GOLD

The Chinese females, searched on arrival at Kai Tak on Wednesday, were found to possess 1 1/2 ounces of gold and six rings concealed in her underwear. The gold was confiscated.

Apprehended before Mr. Blair-Kerr yesterday at Kowloon, Tan Hon-neng was fined \$200. Lam Choi-kun, who had six rings concealed in her underwear, was fined \$50.

The gold was confiscated.

### STOKER ROBBED

But for the vigilance of Det. Yee Fai, a 13-year-old juvenile would have got away with the pay book of Mr. William A. Burt, P.O. stoker machine of H.M.S. Tamar.

Det. Yee said defendant took something from Mr. Burt's trouser pocket as (Mr. Burt) was leaving the "Solar Star". He arrested the boy. Convicted of larceny from the person by Mr. Latimer, the juvenile was given eight strokes.

### 'DOUBLE-BANKING'

Caught riding a bicycle with a friend on the pillion in Cumberland Road on Wednesday evening, Archie Lang, a 17-year-old student, of 9, King's Terrace, and M. Mackenzie, of 10 Norfolk Road, appeared before Mr. Blair-Kerr yesterday at Kowloon and were cautioned.

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## HUGE LONDON CROWDS HE TOOK HIS BOW JAM ROYAL WEDDING ROUTE

London, Nov. 20.  
The first man publicly to acknowledge the full-throated roar of cheering from the massed crowds along the Royal wedding route today was a London County Council labourer, shouting cheerfully on his shovel on top of a pile of sand in a Municipal lorry.

## Service In Abbey Televised

London, Nov. 20.  
Millions of Londoners gazed themselves to their raptures from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. today to hear a minute description of the Royal Wedding while others—more fortunate—looked vicariously pleasure in watching the procession televised.

At the American Embassy canteen where many Americans sat in London at least half the time, a television set was brought in, thus giving many more Americans a chance to see most of what happened inside Westminster Abbey with the exception of the actual wedding itself.

An English girl, Gladys Elliott, who saw the television from start to finish, said it "was magnificent and it sent shivers up and down my back as I saw the Princess and her husband come out of the Abbey."

She said she watched the procession all the way back to the Palace and added excitedly: "Now the crowd is getting out of control and singing 'We want the bride' and 'There is something about a sailor'."

"Oh, it is wonderful and I am so excited," she cried.—United Press.

## WORLD GREETES ROMANCE

London, Nov. 20.  
People throughout the world greeted the wedding of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Edinburgh today as a "fairytale romance."

From countries of the British Commonwealth, from the world capitals and from small towns and villages, thousands of words of good wishes to the Royal couple poured along the cable networks.

Reuter messages from the world centres gave these flashes of loyal and friendly greetings and celebrations.

NEW YORK: The New York Sun declared: "The wedding done in fairytale manner will give this sad, dejected and befuddled planet a badly needed lift."

LAKE SUCCESS: United Nations delegates drank toasts, "Lillibet cocktail," at parties arranged by the British members of the Secretariat.

TORONTO: Field-Marshal Lord Alexander, Governor General, ended greetings as the wedding gift of food parcels for Britain continued to flood the eastern seaboard harbour sheds.

JOHANNESBURG: Flags and bunting covered all government buildings. South African radio stations, broadcasting in English and Afrikaans, started their programmes early to relay the wedding descriptions.

NEW DELHI: Pandit Nehru, Prime Minister of India, sent good wishes in messages accompanying gifts. An Indian poetess sent greetings wishing the Royal couple "a magic world."

LAHORE: Bhagat Ali Khan

Close to a million persons jammed the mile and half processional route of the Royal wedding today, thousands of them having "camped out" since as early as 8 p.m. last night.

The square surrounding the Victoria Memorial before Buckingham Palace was black with thousands of happy, cheering subjects hoping for a glimpse of Princess Elizabeth as she looked through her boudoir windows on her wedding morning.

Upwards of 50,000 persons packed into the sanctuary—the open space surrounding the entrance to Westminster Abbey. Along Whitehall, and through the tree-lined Mall which leads from Trafalgar Square to the gates of the Palace, hundreds of thousands of persons pushed their way to vantage points.

In Whitehall they lined the sidewalks from the curbstone to the buildings. In the Mall they trampled the muddy dirt of the walks and some succeeded, despite the best efforts of London's police, augmented by patrolmen from outlying districts and the home counties, in climbing trees and lamp posts and telephone kiosks.

**Weather Mild**  
The weather was mild. The sun had not yet broken through to provide the Windsors' traditional "Royal weather." Clouds broke in mid-morning after slight drizzles earlier.

Along the entire processional route khaki-clad and blue-clad troops of Britain's Guard regiments, of the Royal Air Force, of the Royal Navy and of the Marines stood at ease some five to six feet apart.

At Westminster Abbey the police said at 10 a.m. the crowd was greater than any since the Coronation, although it did not exceed the Coronation crowd.

**Churchill Cheered**  
One of the biggest cheers went up to Mr. Winston Churchill when he arrived in a limousine. He took his cigar from his mouth and waved at the crowds.

Mr. Anthony Eden also got a hand but Lord President of the Council Herbert Morrison arrived unnoticed.

Hundreds of members of Parliament were in positions on the pavements outside the Houses of Parliament more than two hours before the start of the wedding.

At well-spaced intervals along the Royal route the best bands of Britain's military units were stationed to play "Her Royal Highness the Bride" to her wedding.

Edinburgh, where the Duke of Edinburgh and his best man, the Marquess of Milford-Haven—whose name even now was being linked with that of Princess Elizabeth's younger sister.

London, Nov. 19.  
Denis Compton, Middlesex and England cricketer and Arsenal player, is going back to hospital.

The recent operation to his knee was successful, but some minor treatment is now needed.—Reuter.

## Potato Rationing



Potato rationing, at the rate of 3 lbs. per person per week, commenced in Britain on Nov. 19. Here Mrs. Anne Allen of Kilburn, North London, is seen receiving her weekly ration of potatoes from a street trader. The trader is holding the week's ration consisting of four large and one small potatoes.—A.P.H.O.

## Abbey Aglow With Silks And Satins

London, Nov. 19.  
The best-dressed collection of people in the last 10 years attended today's wedding at Westminster Abbey.

Millions of sterling worth of silks, satins, minks, sables, diamonds and pearls went into creations to embellish the wedding guests.

The much talked-about austerity was thrown to the winds. True, there is no Court dress. But the Royal women—well!

They, and women closely connected with the Court, are wearing new creations touching the floor and as much of the family jewellery as they can becomingly carry.

Dowager Queen Mary, now 80, had a hand in all this. At dinner one day in her own home at Marlborough House, she pressed strong disapproval of the plans being made by her more distant relatives to wear long costumes that they were having made.

"Surely," she said, "gowns touching the floor can be worn."

Consequently, the Dowager Queen's word was passed around the Court, that it would be suitable for all women close to the family to wear dresses to the floor and immediately orders went out for their creation.

**Warm Note**  
Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth, being queens, are wearing gowns that even trail the ground.

Queen Mary's gown is an aquamarine chenille velvet, embroidered with a band of skyblue and white—the Greek national colours—and long Ingrid of Denmark in long lilac blue velvet chiffon.

The non-Royal guests are wearing the newest of street-length outfits, some as short as 14 inches from the floor, but many aneking down against governmental advice to as close as 11 inches.

**Hartnell Creation**  
For Lady Arthur Salter, who was the former Mrs. Arthur Buller, of Washington, DC, Mr. Norman Hartnell, the Queen's dressmaker, made a wedgewood blue wool dress with long tight sleeves and a very full skirt. The length is about 13 inches from the floor.

For Lady Moynton, he made a tailored red wool with extra-wide lapels. For Lady Nunburnholme, Stiebel turned out a red wool dress and a longish black coat with full-flared skirt and shawl pockets.

For the Countess of Bradford, Worth did a rust tulle dress.

For Mrs. Charles Johnston, a former foreign princess, Blanca Mosca created a wasp-waisted molre suit with small basque and a full skirt about 11 inches from the floor.—Reuter.

## CHINESE TOO GOOD FOR SERVICES IN VICTORY SHIELD

Giving an all-round good display, United Services played their best game this season when they met the Combined Chinese at Causeway Bay in the first game of the Victory Shield Competition and lost by 3 goals to 2.

The game started at a fast pace and Services were very aggressive for the first 20 minutes or so.

Led by Sewell, the Colony Interpreter, who has been chosen to go to Manila with the Hong Kong side next month, the rest of the forward line struck a quick understanding and combined well.

Sydge and Connors, on the right wing, formed a dangerous pair and had the Chinese defenders fully occupied.

On the other wing Youkee and Kiernan gave Hau Yung-sang much to think about.

Kiernan kept Youkee well supplied with passes and the latter often bent Hau Yung-sang.

**Halves Do Well**  
In the defence the halves worked well. Barr was a tower of strength in the pivotal position and received excellent support from Shepherd.

It is indeed a pity that both these players will be leaving shortly. Craighead had his work cut out watching Ted Kam-ho and Kwok Ying-kee, but did well.

Behind them Soutar and Pearce kicked well. Pearce being slightly the better of the two backs. Cranke again played a good game and brought off several good saves particularly in the first half.

For the Chinese Yue Ka-yun, in goal, was easily the best.

In the opening stages of the game he was peppered with shots from all directions and brought off some very good saves.

In the pivotal position, Hung Ying-yuk played a sound game and full deserved his inclusion in the team. Chau Man-chi started off at left half but later changed positions with Lau Chung-sang. And neither of these wing halves were able to assist their forwards to any great extent as the opposing forwards needed continual watching.

Chui Wing-keung was the most dangerous Chinese forward and throughout, he played a good game. Kwok Ying-kee was good in patches and fell off badly in the second period.

**Pressure**  
After a period of strong pressure Services took the lead in the first half when Sewell scored from a centre from Connors. This lead was short-lived as not long after Chui Wing-keung equalised with a lob which had Cranke beaten. The same player added another soon after. Just before the interval Kwok Ying-kee scored for the Chinese.

Services had most of the game in the second period and kept the Chinese penned in their half most of the time.

Kiernan scored in the last minute of the game when he followed up a hard drive from Connors.

Chinese Yue Ka-yun; Hau Yung-sang and Ted Kam-hung; Lau Chung-sang; Hung Yung-yuk and Chau Man-chi; Ted Kam-ho; Kwok Ying-kee; Chui Wing-keung; Lau Shui-wing and Ho Ying-lan; Services: Cranke; Pearce and Soutar; Shepherd, Barr and Craighead; Sydge, Connors, Sewell, Kiernan and Youkee.

## RUGBY TEAM

The following have been selected to represent the Navy at Rugby at the Sookunpo Ground tomorrow:

1st XV vs. Army. Kick Off 1045.—Lt. Ingham (London), Mid. Buckingham (London), Sig. Selwyn (Tamar), S/Lt. Lloyd (London), P.O. Martin (Plymouth), P.O. Thomas (Admiralty), Lt. Stoop (London), S.A. Annandale (London), C.P.O. Beamish (Admiralty), Mr. Storrie (London), P.O. Page (Admiralty), Lt. Maitland (Gambia), S.A. Cwper (Admiralty), E.R.A. Black (London), Lt. Brodie (Admiralty), Reserves: Lt. Roberts (Admiralty), Lt. Buckley (Auriga), Lt. Sig. Wright (Tamar).

2nd XV vs. Club "A" Kick Off 1830.—Yes. Matheson (Tamar), Lt. Healey (Admiralty), E.R.A. Holman (Admiralty), S.B. P. O. Gibbons (R.N.H.), Lt. Denno (Admiralty), Lt. Rabbit (Amphion), Lt. Rankin (Admiralty), Mr. McHenry (Allegiance), P.O. Vickers (Admiralty), Mrs. Adams (London), C.E.R.A. Draper (Admiralty), Toi, Reeves (Tamar), S.B.P.O. Browning (R.N.H.), A. B. Forward (Admiralty), Lt. Shaw (Consent), Lt. Sig. Marriot (Admiralty), L.S.B.A. Jones (Tamar).

## Dinny Pails Now Pro.

Chicago, Nov. 19.  
Dinny Pails, Australian lawn tennis singles champion, joined the ranks of the professional tennis today at a salary of \$20,000 a year, plus a percentage of the gate.

Jack Harris, the sports promoter, who recently signed Jack Kramer, Wimbledon and American champion, as a professional, said that Pails together with Kramer, Bobby Riggs and another star yet to be signed, would make up his team which is to give an extended exhibition tour.

The tour will open at Madison Square Garden, New York, on Dec. 26.—Reuter.

## SPAIN NOT INCLUDED

Washington, Nov. 19.  
A denial that the United States had any plan to include Spain in benefits of the Marshall Plan was made at a press conference today by Mr. Charles H. Bohlen, Counsellor of the State Department as the spokesman for Mr. Marshall, the Secretary of State.

Commenting on reports in the Left Wing press that a move to add Spain to the 16 other European nations was under preparation by the State Department, he said: "I know of no such plan."—Reuter.

## BOXER OUT

London, Nov. 20.  
Cliff Anderson, British Gulana feather weight, was fined \$500 today and suspended for three months by the British Boxing Board of Control after a hearing into his November 3 fight with Hal Bagwell.

Anderson was disqualified in the seventh round for avoiding action. John Harding, Anderson's manager, who was fined £100, said "it is a vicious attack." He said Anderson went into the bout injured.—Associated Press.

London, Nov. 19.  
In a Rugby Union game played tonight, Devon beat the Royal Navy by 17 points to five.—Reuter.

## ENGLAND OUTCLASSES SWEDEN AT SOCCER

London, Nov. 19.  
England maintained her unbeaten record against Continental teams—none has ever won in England—by beating Sweden by four goals to two in the first international soccer match between the two countries to be played in England at Highbury this afternoon.

Although England became three up in half an hour and led 3-1 at half time, the Swedes fought back courageously and during the second half when led 3-2, had an inspired spell when they might easily have equalised.

Forty-five thousand fans watched a keen game which, if not touching the dizzy heights of football, was always entertaining and conducted in a fine sporting spirit, even though each side scored once from the penalty spot.

As has happened so often in international matches between England and other countries, it was an inspired early spell which won the match for England.

**Run Off Feet**  
Before the Swedes had got going on the soft ground with a slippery ball, England had run them off their feet and had it not been for some miraculous saves by the goalkeeper, Lindberg, the Swedes might have found themselves six goals down at the interval.

In the second half the Swedes, showing tremendous perseverance and never refusing to admit defeat, staged a great recovery and the stamina of these blonde giants gave them an equal share of the play.

The English attack started in brilliant fashion and although Stanley Matthews, Walter

## WARRANT ISSUED

Bangkok, Nov. 20.  
High government sources said today that a warrant had been issued for the arrest of a former naval officer on charges of murdering King Ananda Mahidol in June, 1947.

The sources said witnesses testify that former Lt. Vajirachul Chaiyasilthit entered the late king's bedroom, shot him with a pistol given King Ananda by an American officer and then sped by motor boat to a small island in the Gulf of Siam to avoid questioning.—United Press.

## Shanghai Bowlers Beat Recs.

Postponed from Tuesday last, on account of the inclement weather, the bowls match between the Club de Recreio and the Portuguese members of the Shanghai Inter-port team, played at King's Park yesterday, proved one of the most thrilling of the series.

The local Portuguese lads went all out and played a very steady game. Their defeat by a single shot (the lowest so far) was a mute testimony of the high standard of their play.

Determined to down their competitors, the visitors gave a much better exhibition than they have done so far.

**SHANGHAI**  
C.L. Payer, J.F. Ribeiro, V.L. Xavier, L.F. Xavier, B.R. Marques, T.F. Noronha, A.M. Guierrez, F.X.M. da Silva (Skip) 21 (Skip) 20  
Today at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, the officials of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association (R.P. Phillips, J.F. McGowan, J. McKelvie, J. L. Guierrez) will meet the Shanghai lads in a friendly game.

The Hong Kong University Badminton team against the Club de Recreio at 8 p.m. today at their court will be represented by Lau Hing-ming (Capt.), Low Keat-see, Lam Sim-look, S. Amplanavar, Cheong Siew-keong and Jesse Koh.

Reserves: Foo Yln-chee, Chin New-king and Khoo Onn-jin.

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